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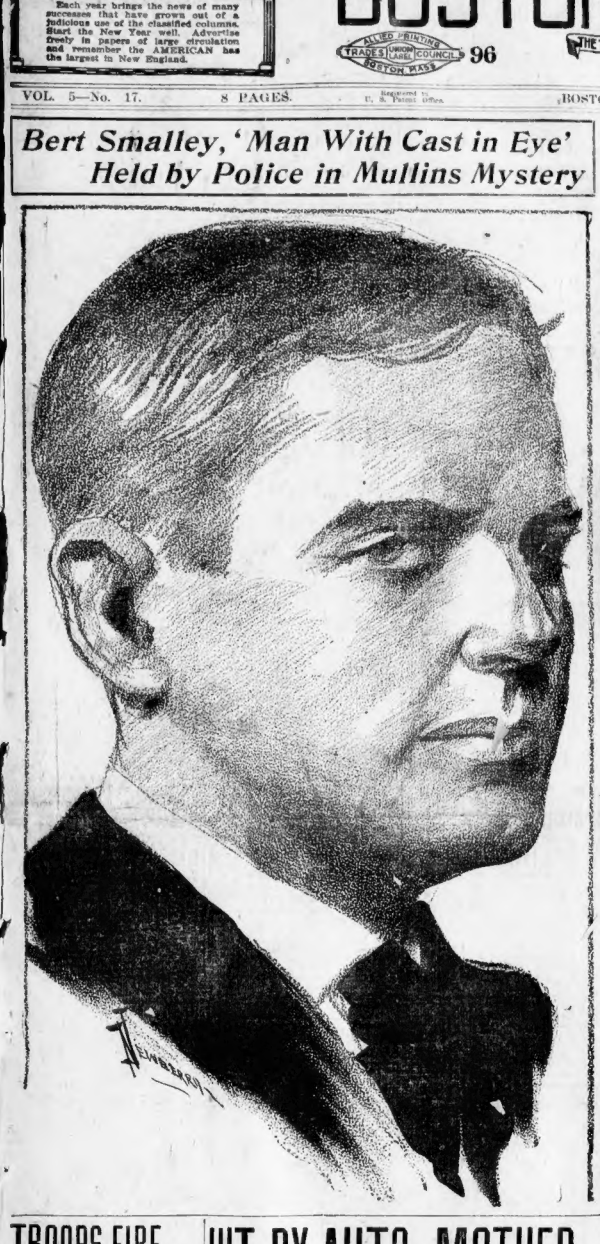
Bert Smalley, 'Man With Cast in Eye' Held by Police in Mullins Mystery



BOLD MAN "WITH CAST IN HIS EYE" IN MYSTERY

Smalley, Detained by Police in Arlington, Death Case, Says He Sought Wife in Bedford—Mysterious Stranger Inquired for Annie Mullins There.

In the detention of Bert Smalley at the Arlington police station, where he is to be questioned by District Attorney Higgins and Inspector Hooley of the Arlington police, there has at last been located in the Annie Mullins murder mystery the much-sought man with the "cast in his eye" described by several persons as having been in Bedford looking for Annie Mullins. He was taken to Arlington on the 1:15 train.

Smalley was taken into custody at the stable of Freeman & Smith, No. 197 Friend street, at 10 o'clock to-day, by Patrolman William Connolly of the Hanover street station. To the officer, who told him he was wanted at the Hanover street station, without explaining for what, Smalley remarked:

"I suppose I'll have to tell what I know about the Annie Mullins case. I see they are questioning everybody."

Sought Wife in Bedford.

At the station Smalley told Captain Kimball that he had been in the town of Bedford and that he went there in search of his wife, who, he understood, was working for a family named Haskell in that town.

"I was there on Friday night, the night this girl was killed," Smalley said at first. "I came back on the 9 o'clock train. A man was with me who was drunk and the police sent him back on a car.

"I didn't ask for Annie Mullins. I never knew the girl. All I wanted to find was my wife."

Later he changed his story and said he was there Wednesday night.

Six people saw the man who answers Smalley's description in Bedford looking for a servant girl. They are:

Chief of Police Edward Kelley.

S. W. Young of C. W. Blake & Co., druggists.

Joseph Coan, employed in Hodgdon's stable.

Joseph Hodgdon.

William Lovett.

Joseph Sweeney, assistant station agent.

All of these with the exception of Joseph Coan are positive that it was on Wednesday night that the man was in Bedford. Coan thinks it was Wednesday, but says he wouldn't swear to the fact.

Looked for Annie Mullins.

"It wasn't on Friday night, anyway," Coan said.

They claim also that the stranger asked for a girl named Annie Mullins. He also said that he was looking for a family named Haskell, by whom he understood she was employed.

When Inspector Hooley arrived at the Hanover street station and started to question Smalley, the officer was so impressed by the facts presented that he decided to take him to Arlington, where he could be seen by the District Attorney. Chief Urquhart, who had been in Biddeford, arrived after this afternoon to take part in the examination.

After admitting that it was Wednesday night when he was in Bedford Smalley said he had spent the Friday night in Boston and gave the police the address of a lodging house at No. 4 Leverett street, where he said he had been.

LEFT WIFE AND BABY.

Since last Saturday Smalley has been stopping at No. 11½ Stanford street.

He is married and, according to Mrs. Tilley Labole of No. 41 Howard street, where Smalley and his wife and baby lived some time ago, he left them and went away for parts unknown. Mrs. Smalley secured a situation with a family in Bedford. Her maiden name was Addie Clark, and she came from Prince Edward Island.

It was to locate the wife in order to effect a reconciliation that Smalley says he went to Bedford. He does not explain the statements alleged to have been made on Wednesday night that a fortune had been left the woman he was searching for.

Mrs. Fleming, landlady of No. 11½ Stanford street, said that Smalley had lived a lodger of hers about the middle of March, but that he had left her and returned last Saturday. About March 25 or 26 he went there and tried to get a room with a friend of his, but as they couldn't pay until the following Saturday the landlady wouldn't let them have it. It is that time Smalley left a bundle of soiled linen in the house.

The police are making a search for a man who may know something about Smalley's movements on the night of the murder and also on Wednesday night when he admits being in Bedford.

Smalley made no objection to be taken to Arlington.

He is a native of Nova Scotia, he claims. He is 5 feet 8 inches tall, weighs between 160 and 170 pounds and has a peculiar defect which might be called a cast in one eye. He has sandy hair and is fairly well dressed. His smooth face is tanned by weather exposure.

ARREST OF SMALLEY IMPORTANT, SAYS POLICE CHIEF KELLY

Chief of Police Edward Kelly of Bedford places great importance on the detention to-day of Bert Smalley, who he believes to be the man who was in Bedford one week ago last Wednesday night making inquiries for Annie Mullins.

"This man," said Chief Kelly to-day, "arrived here late in the afternoon of Wednesday, March 25. He was about thirty years old, red faced, and wore a light overcoat.

"With him was another man about the same age. The best description of the other man that I have of him is that he had a black mustache and wore a black soft hat. The two men visited several places in town and the red-faced man, who may have been Smalley, made repeated inquiries concerning Annie Mullins.

"Shortly after 7 o'clock I ran across a man, with a black mustache. He had been drinking and was displaying a large roll of bills. He said that he had just come from a Winter in a Maine logging camp, and that he had never met the red-faced man before that afternoon when he met him in Cambridge and accepted an invitation to accompany him to Bedford. I advised him to put his money away and go home, and I personally saw that he bought a ticket for Boston and took the 7:36 train.

"The red-faced man who had attracted attention by his inquiries concerning Annie Mullins remained in town until 8:57, when he also boarded a train for Boston. I have been unable to learn that he had made any inquiries concerning his wife or a woman called Addie Clark."

DRUGGIST SAYS HE COULD EASILY IDENTIFY THE MAN

S. W. Young, treasurer of the C. W. Blake & Co., druggists at Bedford, declares he can identify the man with a cast in his eye who called at his store March 25 and asked for Annie Mullins. He declared this afternoon to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter that he could identify the man from among one thousand. It was to-day, however, that the man called on him Wednesday evening, March 25. He said:

"I am sure it was Wednesday evening. I am sure that this strange man came into the store and asked for a Miss Annie Mullins. I am sure of the night, because I was alone in the store that night. Mr. Blake and I had bought tickets for a drama being given Wednesday and Thursday nights. Mr. Blake had his tickets for Wednesday night. I was to go the following night. It is because of the drama that I am absolutely certain that it was Wednesday night, two nights before the murder of Annie Mullins that I saw this man.

"He asked me to telephone to Dr. Hamblen's house and ask them for Annie Mullins. I remember he came because I had to ask him a second time. I tried first to persuade him to go to Dr. Hamblen's house telling him that it was only a few hours away and he could walk the distance almost quicker than he could get them by telephone. He hesitated, I insisted, when I told him this and insisted that he did not want to go to the house. He appeared very nervous while here and I had a good chance to size him up. I noticed particularly the cast in his eye. I could identify him easily."

Other news of Mullins Mystery on Page 2.

TROOPS FIRE ON CROWDS IN LISBON RIOTS

PARIS, April 6.—News of an overwhelming government victory at yesterday's Portuguese election and of the disorders which followed immediately upon the closing of the polls reaches here simultaneously from and irregular to-day.

The rioting, which broke out in many quarters of Lisbon together as if by prearrangement last night and soon reached such proportions that it was necessary to call out the troops and fire on the mobs, with the death of several disturbers, is scattered to-day.

It is becoming rapidly more general, however, and indications are that the situation will become serious by nightfall. Strong bodies of mounted troops are patrolling the streets, breaking up all gatherings and endeavoring to nip the uprising in the bud.

Reports from the country district indicate that the trouble is general throughout the kingdom, though the outside news is too meagre to furnish a basis for definite conclusion.

The disorders are all apparently the result of the Republicans' conviction that they were cheated at the polls and would have won but for the alleged government frauds.

HIT BY AUTO, MOTHER SAVES HER LITTLE ONE

When threatened by an oncoming automobile in Cambridge to-day, while carrying her infant child in her arms, Mrs. Mary Ferris managed to throw the baby to one side just in time to save its life. The mother was run over by the car and seriously injured.

Mrs. Ferris lives at No. 59 Portland street, Cambridge. She started from the house at 10:45 o'clock with her baby in her arms. As she stepped from the curb at the corner of Broadway a big touring car came speeding along toward Boston and the new Cambridge bridge.

Mrs. Ferris had no time to dodge. Under the very shadow of the oncoming car she managed to throw her child to one side. The auto sped along, bumped over the mother's body, but missed the child by a few inches.

The baby escaped injury, but the mother was picked up hardly conscious, with her back and legs terribly bruised.

She was taken to the Cambridge Relief Hospital, where examination was begun to see if she had received internal injuries. Mrs. Ferris is able to give little description of the auto, save that it was a big touring car.

GUILD SLOWLY GETS BETTER

At 9:30 a. m. to-day Dr. Winslow issued the following bulletin:

"The Governor has shown continued improvement during the past twenty-four hours."

Governor Guild's steady, if slow, improvement continues, and his relatives are more hopeful than ever. Dr. Winslow's latest bulletin last night, following an earlier announcement that a slight improvement was shown in twenty-four hours, was:

"The Governor has had a very comfortable day. There is no appreciable change."

JAPS ATTACK U.S. CONSULATE

MUKDEN, April 6.—Four Japanese entered the American consulate to-day and brutally attacked the native staff in revenge for a private spite. Consul-General Straight made a requisition on the Chinese police and the Japanese were arrested and taken to the Japanese consulate.

No apology has yet been offered, and it is probable that the matter will be made a subject of diplomatic action.

RICH MAN KILLS STEPDAUGHTER

PITTSBURG, April 6.—S. L. Gardiner, wealthy coal operator of McKeesport and formerly borough engineer, to-day slew and instantly killed his stepdaughter, Dorothy Bradley, and then probably fatally shot himself.

HAVE GAINED 25 POUNDS

using Father John's Medicine, save John Mc. Graham of Taunton, Mass.—Advt.

COURT FINES 4 SYRIANS IN CHURCH RIOT

Charged with taking part in a riot four Syrians were arraigned in court today and were fined $25 each. They appealed and were held in $200 for the Superior Court.

The arraignment to-day was the result of a religious riot, which broke out early Sunday morning on Hudson street, South End, between Syrians of the Greek Orthodox Church and those of Roman Catholic faith. Sergeant Bannister and Officer Miller rushed to the scene and succeeded in arresting Edward Maloof, 40; Charles Harmesy, 20; Abdelpha Harmen, 22, and Rostella Sabark, 18, all living on Hudson street.

REFEREE IN THAW CASE APPOINTED

NEW YORK, April 6.—Evelyn Thaw's action to have her marriage to Harry K. Thaw annulled was filed in the Supreme Court this afternoon, and at the same time her counsel, Daniel O'Reilly, asked that a referee be appointed to take the testimony. The moving papers are very short, and simply cite that the slayer of Stanford White was insane at the time the deponent became his wife. They contain no other allegations.

Justice Hendrick appointed Robert E. Deyo of No. 111 Broadway to take the testimony. The suit will not be contested.

TRUSTEE SHAW A BANKRUPT

John Oakes Shaw, trustee for fourteen estates valued at over $2,000,000, who was recently admitted to the McLean Insane Asylum, was declared a bankrupt today by Judge Frederick P. Dodge in the United States Court on the petition of Annie M. Cabe. She is a creditor to the amount of $13,000. Judge Dodge appointed L. G. Farmer referee to take charge of the work of ascertaining the liabilities and assets of Mr. Shaw.

MISS BINLEY AT CASTLE SQUARE

Gertrude Binley, the actress, who is now suing her husband, William L. Thorne, for divorce on the grounds of non-support, cruel and abusive treatment and habitual intoxication, the details of which cause are stirring Brookline society quite a bit, has joined the company now at the Castle Square Theatre and makes her first appearance to-night at Viola D'Arville in "The Sporting Duchess."

THE WEATHER.

Fair to-night and Tuesday. Light to fresh west to southwesterly winds.

High tide, 3 a. m., 3:30 p. m.

Sun rises, 5:18 a. m.; sets, 6:15 p. m.

Moon sets, 11:47 p. m.

LONDON PUPILS SAFEGUARDED

LONDON, April 6.—Warned by the recent school fire near Cleveland, the London County Council has ordered that the doors to all London schools be made to open outward, and that the walls surrounding the buildings be provided with gates wide enough to admit fire engines.

"UNDESIRABLE" TO BE DEPORTED

Charged with shoplifting, Casper Bislow, an Englishman who has been six weeks in this country, was turned over to the immigration authorities, charged with being an "undesirable citizen," and will be sent back to that country.

Landlady's Story of Acquaintance With Smalley and His Wife

PARTED FROM WIFE, THEN TRIED TO FIND HER, SAYS MRS. TILLEY LAJOIE.

Mrs. Tillie Lajoie, the proprietor of the boarding house at No. 41 Howard street, where for some time Bert Smalley, the man held at Station 1 today to be questioned by the police who are investigating the murder of Annie Mullins, told a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day an interesting story of her acquaintance with the man and his wife. Mrs. Lajoie is an honest, hard-working woman, and it is largely due to her statements that Smalley was detained by the police today. She is an aunt of Napoleon Lajoie, the well-known ball player.

"Smalley came here about a year ago to five," said Mrs. Lajoie, "I do not know where he was then employed. With him was his wife and their small baby.

"Late in the Summer Mrs. Smalley was taken sick and was removed to a hospital. During her sickness Smalley remained here and hired a young woman to care for the baby.

Nurses Left His Employ.

"It was during this time that I became concerned in Smalley. No girl would remain in his employ as nurse. The first girl came to me crying when she left without notice. 'I cannot stand that man,' she said.

"She left and another girl that followed left with the same story.

"In October, after Mrs. Smalley had left the hospital, Smalley left her, saying that he was going to get a job in a lumber camp in Maine for the Winter. He did not give her his address, and left her little or no money.

"I felt sorry for the little woman and remonstrated with him. He said that when she understood why he had to leave town in that way she would forgive him. Later he explained this remark in a way that led me to believe that he was afraid that the police wanted to see him for some reason or other.

"When Smalley disappeared, ostensibly for Maine, where he claimed to have worked before, he had very little money. He was so hard up that he went to the baby's bank and took out the few pennies it contained.

"Mrs. Smalley felt bad at first. I tried to comfort her and get her started in some sort of employment.

Wife Secured Work.

"At my advice she went to an employment agent to look for work. In fact, I paid her fee for her and offered to advance her some money to help her out until she should get to earning.

"That was the last I saw of her, but I heard that she had secured work on a milk farm in Bedford and was living there with her child.

"It was in December that I received the first of several letters from Smalley. They were postmarked at Dorchester Curry, Me., and in them he said he was working in a logging camp and had a very good job which would probably last all Winter.

"Smalley seemed very penitent. He wanted me to send me his wife's address. He said he was very anxious to hear from her and would send her some money if she needed it. However, it did not think best to let him know anything about his wife and child, for I did not place any faith in his promises. And even if I had wanted to I could not have given him her address, for all I knew was that she was working on some dairy farm in Bedford. I had only heard from her, indirectly.

"Soon after the first of the year he appeared here again and took a room with me. He did not have much money, but said he had a lot coming to him for his Winter's work.

Wanted to Find Her.

"He bought a long heavy coat, with a belt across the back, and asked me what I thought of it. I told him that it looked pretty heavy for this time of year. When I asked him where he had got the money to pay for it he said that his employer, Mr. Curry, had paid for it, and that he would deduct the price of it from the check for the wages which were coming to him.

"Smalley was constantly teasing me to help find his wife and baby. Several times he wanted me to go out to Bedford with him and make a search for them. I always put him off and told him frankly that I thought they were better off without him. It was during one of these that the remark he had made before going away in the Fall.

"'Addie will forgive me,' he insisted, 'when she knows why I had to do it.'

"Then he added:

"'If I had stayed here in Boston it might have cost me two years.'

"I did not press him for explanation, but this remark aroused my suspicions, and I was hardly surprised when he left me a few weeks later owing me $8. During all this time I did not know where he was working. To-day one of the men in the house he spoke of getting a job in a stable.

Planned Bedford Trip.

"I next saw Smalley a week ago last Wednesday or Thursday. I cannot say positively which day it was. He came to the house about 5 o'clock in the afternoon and asked for me. He had been drinking quite a good deal, it seemed to me from his talk and actions.

"Mrs. Lajoie, he said, 'I want you to go out to Bedford with me to-night and help me find my wife, I must see her.'

"I laughed at him and told him that it was absurd to think of my going out there at that time of night and that he ought to be man enough to find his wife without my help. He teased me for a long time and at last started off saying he would go alone. I gave him the address of the employment agency where Mrs. Smalley had registered and said he could probably locate her there. It occurred to think this would do no good, as he said she had probably changed her name.

"That was the last I saw of him. In fact, I hardly gave him another thought until last week, when a strange looking man called here and tried hard to have me give some information as to where he could find Mrs. Smalley.

Suspected Ruse.

"He said something about her having had some money left her, but I thought he was lying and refused to give him a bit of information. I thought it was a ruse of Smalley's to find out where she had secured some furniture, which was in her name and on which I thought he probably wanted to try to raise some money.

"It was about this time that I read in the AMERICAN the description of the mysterious man with the cast in his eye, and I said right away that the description fitted Bert Smalley. Then I began to wonder if he had gone to Bedford the night he had told me he was going, and if he were not the same man who had made inquiries for Annie Mullins.

"At first I did not think of connecting him with the murder of the girl. I thought that perhaps he had seen Miss Mullins' name at the employment agency and had in some way thought he was that of his wife.

Has Peculiar Expression.

"The man described in the AMERICAN is certainly the living image of Smalley. He is not tall and weighs, I should say, about 180 pounds. He walks with a peculiar half swagger which would attract attention anywhere. His face is very red and he has a peculiar habit of pressing his jaws tightly together as if constantly trying to swallow something. The most striking thing about him is the cast in one eye which is very pronounced.

"Yesterday a second strange man called at the house here and made more inquiries about the whereabouts of Mrs. Smalley. Neither of the strange men who called at the house would tell me from whom they came. I was convinced, however, that they were either detectives or friends of Smalley.

"Beyond Smalley's drinking habits and what his wife and the nurses told me I know nothing against the man. He was very quiet and talked little with me or the other lodgers. He told me once that he came originally from Vermont, from St. Albans or Montpelier. I believe—and I think that he was once a railroad man there.

"From things he told to me from time to time I got the impression that he came from a family a great deal better than his present condition would indicate.

Fine Little Woman.

"Mrs. Smalley was a fine little woman. She was a native of Prince Edward Island, but had lived for many years before coming to Boston in Nova Scotia. Where Smalley met her I do not know.

"I never heard of his having any woman acquaintances. He was not a man who would readily make many friends, either men or women. I was always under the impression that he spent most of his spare time drinking or playing cards with men he had known in the lumber camps.

"I never heard Mrs. Smalley speak of knowing anybody by the name of Annie Mullins.

"I sincerely hope that Bert Smalley had nothing to do with the murder of poor Annie Mullins or with any other crime."

POLICE RELEASE SUSPECT HELD IN BIDDEFORD, ME.

Special to the Boston American.

BIDDEFORD, Me., April 6.—John M. Daley of Lynn, who was detained here to be questioned in regard to the murder of Annie Mullins, was released at noon today, after an examination by Chief Harmon and Chief Urquhart of Arlington.

Daley told the officers that at 9 o'clock on the evening that the murder was committed he was at home in bed. He also said that he went to Jackson's saloon in Lynn earlier in the evening.

A telephone conversation with Deputy Marshall Bartlett of Lynn brought out the fact that all of Daley's statements were correct, and he was allowed to go.

Daley's detention was due to the fact that he resembled closely the description of the man sought by the officers investigating the Arlington murder mystery. He was taken from his room in the Wilbur House after midnight.

PROVES ALIBI FOR LYNN PLUMBER HELD AT BIDDEFORD, ME.

John M. Daley, who was held at Biddeford, Me., until he could be questioned by the Arlington police as a possible suspect in the Annie Mullins murder mystery, boarded with Mrs. Mary Vincent at No. 149 Broad street, Lynn. Mrs. Vincent told a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day that she was sure that Daley could clear himself of all suspicion.

"I am positive that he was in his room on the night of March 27," she said. "I know he was there some part of the evening, and she had been kept in, for I made it up myself the next morning.

"He left here last Tuesday and told me that he was going to Portland because he thought he might secure work there at his trade, owing to the number of fires in that city. He thought also that he might go to Bar Harbor.

"He had no money and owed me $22, but he did a little work and divided what he had with me. The rest he used to buy a very cheap suit of clothes and to pay his fare. He is a sober, industrious young man and is not married. I am sure he knows nothing about this murder case and he has no relatives in Arlington.

Daley, it is said, had a hard time during the Winter. One of his sisters was ill in the Lynn Hospital and he used all the money he could get to provide for her. He has a brother in Boston and another in Seattle, Wash.

He is a member of the Lynn Plumbers' Union and the officers speak highly of him.

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WHO MURDERED THIS GIRL?

Annie Mullins was foully slain ten days ago in a lonely field of Arlington. The mystery of her murder has proved most baffling. Many persons have been questioned in an effort to trace the slayer, but so far no clear lead has been established.

Remember the Boston American will pay $1,000 for information given to it exclusively that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the slayer.

HIPPODROME PRICES HALVED FOR THIS WEEK

In order that this week of school holidays may be memorable to the children of Greater Boston, Albert R. Rogers, managing director of the Boston Hippodrome, has decided to make a sweeping reduction in the scale of prices to apply to adults as well as to children, and to be in force both matinee and nights all this week, excepting Thursday night, when the house has been sold out to the Elks.

The scale of prices will be cut to half all this week, making 1,000 second balcony seats 25 cents and 2,000 of the best seats in the arena and first balcony 50 cents—all reserved. Mr. Rogers feels that by doing this he will afford an opportunity to many children to see the mammoth indoor circus and "Ballet of the Butterflies," which, at higher prices, they could not be able to enjoy.

To-morrow afternoon Mr. Rogers has invited all of the actors, actresses and chorus girls in the city to be his guests at a huge "Professional Matinee."

FALLS 60 FEET, DIES OF HURTS

Clarence Wiley, a carpenter, forty-five, fell down an elevator well, a distance of sixty feet, to the basement in a new building at No. 615 Washington street, to-day, and died a few minutes after reaching the Relief Hospital. He lived at No. 23 Warren place, Roxbury.

ILL, PLUNGES FROM WINDOW

The police of station 1, Cambridge, are holding for safe keeping John Dolan, twenty-five, of Lawrence, who was captured in Harvard Square early to-day, after he had jumped from the third story window of the house where he was staying. He received numerous injuries.

Dolan was stopping with a friend, John Curran, on Mill street, and while temporarily insane jumped from the window, a distance of forty feet. Dolanly dressed he ran to Harvard square. City Physician Bryseon attended him.

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ASQUITH TAKES REINS OF PREMIERSHIP TO-DAY

EDWARD, AT BIARRITZ, CONFERS APPOINTMENT AS BANNERMAN'S SUCCESSOR.

LONDON, April 6.—Chancellor of the Exchequer Herbert Asquith left to-day for Biarritz, Southwestern France, to receive from King Edward the office of the British premiership, to accept it and to hurry back to London, resuming at once the duties he has been performing during the long illness of his predecessor, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman.

An actual meeting with his majesty is a necessary preliminary to the chancellor's promotion to his new post and, as the entire cabinet always goes out with the premier, England is technically without a government, though the present holders of portfolios will as a matter of fact go on with their work uninterruptedly.

King Edward's absence from the country makes the situation somewhat awkward, however. For one thing, precedent must be established for every move. A premier never resigned before with the King away from England. This was just what Edward feared when he left on his present vacation.

Near Point of Death.

It is no secret that His Majesty hinted strongly before his departure that he greatly wished Sir Henry would retire then. The sad end of the premier believed, however, that he would recover and refused to notice any of these intimations.

He is convinced now, however, that he has but a few days or weeks, or at most, months to live and that he was doing his party an injustice by clinging to the reins of power.

Arrangements have been made for the postponement of debates in the House of Commons on several important matters while the premier reorganizes his cabinet.

The Liberals—Asquith's party—are in a majority, but there is serious disaffection in their own ranks, and whenever the malcontents throw their strength to the Conservatives the Asquith cabinet must fall.

Chancellor of the Exchequer Asquith addressed the House of Commons just before his departure for Biarritz to-day on the record of the retiring Premier, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman.

The speech was admittedly one of the most brilliant in the history of the present Parliament and won an ovation for the Chancellor.

At its conclusion the House adjourned for a week, and Mr. Asquith left for Biarritz.

Cabinet Changes.

Several other Cabinet changes must follow. Winston Churchill will almost certainly get a Cabinet place. Those said to be scheduled for retirement are the Marquis of Ripon as lord privy seal, the Earl of Aberdeen as Irish Viceroy and Lord Tweedmouth as first lord of the admiralty.

The Right Hon. Herbert Henry Asquith was born in Yorkshire fifty-six years ago, educated at Oxford, admitted as a barrister, won a high position at the bar, became home secretary under Gladstone in 1892, has represented East Fife, Scotland, in the House of Commons since 1886, and entered the present Cabinet when Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman accepted the Premiership in 1905.

He was first married to a daughter of F. Melland of Manchester, but his wife died in 1891 and three years later he wedded a daughter of Sir Charles Tennant.

RAILROAD COMMISSION WANTS POWER REDUCED

REQUESTS REPEAL OF RIGHT TO FIX RATE ON TRANSPORTATION OF MILK.

The Railroad Commissioners to-day asked the Massachusetts Legislature to take away from the commission the right conferred upon it in 1906 to fix the rate of transportation on milk in cans.

"It confers upon the board," say Hall, Bishop and White, "a rate-making power quite at variance with the policy under which it was organized, or with its general powers since determined by legislation.

"The advisability of the repeal of this section is suggested.

"The Board deems its general recommendatory powers ample to secure and regulate such rates as are just and equal.

"In the event of the failure of the public service corporations to respond in good faith to the reasonable orders of this tribunal, the Board or Court will be fully and seasonably advised."

Filed as Part of Answer.

The request or suggestion of a repeal of the power-giving act came as part of the answer to a question put up to the Railroad Commission in an "order" passed by House and Senate on March 19, in that order the Commissioners were requested to answer "not later than March 30."

The Legislature wanted "such recommendations, if any, as seem wise to the commissioners, looking to a better relation between the producer, transporter, contractor and consumer," etc.

The Railroad Commissioners say many things before they get down to asking for a repeal of the rate-fixing act. They say that "milk is a necessity of life," and that there must of necessity be "an antagonism of interest between the producer, transporter, contractor and consumer.

For "Others to Decide."

Whether the cost to the consumer is reasonable, whether the milk is of standard quality, etc., are questions "for others to decide."

The board makes one recommendation—that section 203 be repealed.

"Too Much Power: Take It From Us." --R.R. Commission

UPON the petition of one or more persons who desire to forward milk by the can over any railroad or any portion or portions thereof, the Board of Railroad Commissioners, after notice to the railroad corporation and a hearing, shall ascertain and compare the tariff established, and if * * * "In the judgment of said board unreasonably high SHALL REVISE SAID TARIFF AND SHALL FIX SUCH RATE FOR MILK BY THE CAN AS IN ITS JUDGMENT IS FAIRLY PROPORTIONATE TO THE RATE FOR MILK IN LARGE QUANTITIES. * * * AND SHALL NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OF THE RATE BY THE CAN SO FIXED.—*Acts of 1906, Chapter 463, Part II., Section 203.*

HEAR LECTURE ON "IRISH WOMANHOOD"

The members of the Boston Gaelic Literary Club enjoyed a lecture last night on "Irish Womanhood" by Rev. Father McQuade of St. James' Catholic Church. In addition to the lecture there was a program of music. Those who took part were Mrs. Mary Hale Murphy, Miss Florence Threadgold, Miss Mary E. Roname, Miss Genevieve Sullivan and Miss Margaret Bradley. The next meeting of the club will be Sunday, May 10, in St. Rose Hall, Worcester street.

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REPUBLICAN FORCES LINE UP FOR HOT FIGHT

Both Massachusetts Senators Hurrying from Washington to Take Charge.

TRY TO FORCE TAFT ISSUE

With the Republican State convention only four days away, with both the Lodge and Crane forces expressing their confidence of controlling the big gathering of 1,550 delegates, with the Taft supporters of Colonel Sidney O. Bigney of Attleboro announcing that ex-Governor Long, the Crane candidate, will be beaten roundly for delegate to Chicago, with both United States Senators hurrying on from Washington and due to-day to take personal command of the rival party forces and with the Taft camp divided between itself over the question of either pledging the Taft delegates outright or resting content with a vote of preference, the most strenuous as well as the largest gathering of delegated Republicans in Massachusetts draws on for Friday.

Congressman Augustus P. Gardner, recovered from his illness as a result of his strenuous campaigning in the Sixth district, comes to Massachusetts determined to force the Taft issue not only upon the State, but upon all district conventions.

Under his direction, resolutions, now being prepared, will be introduced into all conventions pledging the delegates to Chicago to a first, last and all the time support of Taft.

Ex-Congressman Samuel L. Powers, manager of the Taft campaign, disagrees with the Sixth District congressman, and Congressman Powers favors a resolution of preference. He is not so considered, however, as Senator Lodge's plan for the delegates to go a straight-out resolution pledging delegates hand and foot, and especially so from the information in his hands at hand while Congressman Gardner has been tying fill in Washington. And this information is that the sentiment against pledging delegates is not confined to the Crane delegates.

Confident that Taft has won a sweeping victory in Massachusetts, and that the votes of the delegates will abundantly disclose it, Manager Powers is content to rest with the passage by all conventions, State and district, of a resolution of preference in favor of Taft.

"But the question seems to have gone beyond the managers, significantly remarks ex-Congressman Powers.

"That further pledges have been thrown aside, and that resolutions pledging delegates to vote for Taft will be presented into the State convention Friday, and that the convention will be loaded with other resolutions also, is an issue admitted to day by both anti and pro supporters.

Flushed with victory in the Sixth District—the only district in the State where actually pledged Taft delegates were chosen—Congressman Gardner looks upon the overwhelming vote cast for Taft as an expression that the Republican voters all over the State would prefer the Taft issue had been presented to them squarely.

The Congressman proposes to present the issue squarely at the State convention.

The election of ex-Governor John D. Long or ex-Councilor Sidney O. Bigney is considered now of lesser importance than the question of pledging the delegates to the State Convention Friday morning.

With the arrival of the two Senators, conservatives in the rival camps hope for an amicable settlement. To-day, however, little hope is in sight.

IRISH LEAGUE TO HEAR CONDON

Captain Edward O'Meagher Condon, the leader in the Manchester rescue of Kelley and Deasy, the Fenian leaders, in 1867, will attend and William Ludwig, the noted Irish baritone, will sing at the meeting of the United Irish League to be held to-morrow night at the American House, in support of John R. Redmond and the Irish parliamentary party.

It is expected that Captain Condon will make a brief address at the meeting. He has already accepted an invitation to speak at a meeting called in Roughan Hall, Charlestown, on Sunday evening, April 19, by Division 1, A. O. H. Captain Condon is a member of the national executive committee of the United Irish League of America, and a strong supporter of the movement led by John Redmond. He was a personal friend of Parnell, and was at all times an advocate of practical work for Ireland.

FOUND IN CELLAR; DIES SOON AFTER

Thomas Dever, thirty-three, of No. 3 Rowell street, West End, was found about 11 o'clock this morning in the cellar of his home, and died before medical assistance could be secured. Medical Examiner Stedman was notified.

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HEROINE OF RESCUE AT SEA.

Miss Mary Barcellos, who, with Edward A. Scilliaguo., rescued two men from drowning in Charles River.

RHODE ISLAND LEAGUE RALLY BREAKS RECORD

GREATEST GATHERING IN HISTORY OF STATE CHEERS PARTY PRINCIPLES.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 6.—Never before in the history of this State has there been such a great and enthusiastic gathering as that which thronged Keith's big hall yesterday to attend the Lincoln-Jefferson grand rally of the Independence League.

Representatives from all walks of life were present in answer to the call of the League leaders, and hundreds were enrolled in the ranks of this new and flourishing party.

Chairman James H. O'Neil, of the Independence League in Rhode Island, was unable to be present, owing to illness, but in his place was J. Frank Merrywather, who officiated as chairman. The principal speakers were: Walter L. Ramsdell, ex-Mayor of Lynn; Edward J. Cantwell of Fall River, Joseph H. Boconnan, secretary of the New Jersey Independence League and former president of the Typographical Union of New Jersey.

Workingman's Party.

The speakers explained the work of the League so far accomplished and the aims of the party in the future—to help the workingman secure his rights by means of the ballot, to secure better hours, pay and working conditions for him, and to stamp out the giant monopolies now wrecking the ruin of the country and starving the workingman.

The hall rang with cheers during the speechmaking and frequently the speakers were forced to wait several minutes while the vast audience took on the cry, "Three cheers for the Independence League and William Randolph Hearst."

At the conclusion of the meeting on the invitation of the presiding officer there was a rush on the part of those present to enroll themselves in the party.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Merrywather, who expressed his regrets that Chairman O'Neil was not able to be present, after which he introduced Walter L. Ramsdell, ex-Mayor of Lynn.

Same Display of Independence.

Mr. Ramsdell said in part:

"I am glad to say that Rhode Island has become the stamping ground—campaign field for the cause of the Independence League.

"The most important thing for me to say to-day is that the Independence League is growing stronger and stronger, enlisting as it grows an army of the people under its banners that it will soon become the dominant party in the United States.

"The League stands for freedom from corruption. It means to defend and promote and encourage the liberties of the people all the time. We want you to frame here a League and to have a platform and to have a State convention and to become a part of the great National League movement that is growing all over the country.

Mr. Buchanan punctuated his remarks with personal reminiscences which made a hit with the assembly. His stories of his experiences when a member of the Democratic party were hearty laughter from all. He said in part:

Ruled by Same Men.

"I discovered years ago that both the Democratic and the Republican parties were governed by the same people. But hopes are brighter to-day because for the first time a party is being organized that has all of the elements strength and none of the weaknesses of the old.

"I don't believe that there is a man who doesn't believe that both parties of to-day are in the hands of the money power. We are absolutely begging for legislation at Washington. We have asked for bread and they have given us a stone. You know it, I doubt if there is one of you but knows that you are absolutely helpless.

"Here is a party whose platform embraces the cause of the factory man, the farmer, the worker in the mill and the fields alike, all the power of the money kings of America stands against it, and just as sure as a just God reigns we are going to win.

"This party has the most practical platform; it is the most comprehensive that you ever had."

Joseph E. Jackson of Fall River, well known in that city as the secretary of the Slasher Tenders' Union, also spoke.

$1,000,000 STOLEN FROM BIG STORES

Alice Mahoney, 18, living on Dorchester Street, South Boston, and Mary Smith, 20, same address, were before Judge Murray to-day charged with shoplifting, and were each given 12 days in the House of Correction. Both appealed and were held in $100 each for the Superior Court.

From all appearances this is the beginning of a crusade to stop shoplifting. Judge Murray, in an interview with a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day, said:

"Fines are no longer effective. At certain seasons of the year these cases are brought to the notice of the court. I was talking recently with a large Boston business man, and he told me that over $60,000 of his goods could not be accounted for and that it was evidently stolen. When it is taken this consideration that this was only one store it can be seen that the loss all over the city would reach the $1,000,000 mark. The thing has got to be stopped, and the only way to stop it is to impose jail sentences."

MORGAN WELL, LEAVES ROME

ROME, April 6.—J. Pierpont Morgan left here to-day for Aix-Prance. He had not been notified at the time of his departure of the report wired to London that he had suddenly been taken ill. The origin of the mistake is as yet unexplained.

ALDRICH TO RETIRE AT END OF TERM

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island, father-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is making arrangements to retire from public life at the expiration of his present term. The declaration is made that age is responsible for this determination. He will be seventy when the time fixed for stepping off the stage arrives, March 3, 1911.

HOLD PUBLIC PRAYER IN WAR ON THE SALOON

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 6.—Will the prayers of the women and the pleas of the children of Illinois prevail to-morrow in the battle of ballots between the saloon forces and local option? To-day has brought to a close the most strenuous political campaign Illinois has experienced since Civil War days.

From Cairo to Dunleith from Danville to Quincy, in 2,000 cities, towns and townships, there are prayer meetings in the homes, parades of women and children through the streets. Public greetings are held in the open air and in public halls. The churches are open. Four months ago 50,000 men composed the vote of the State local option was voted on with disastrous results to the saloon. Seventeen of the counties voted them out almost entirely.

The rest of the counties of the State hold elections to-morrow.

The local option people have had the influential services of Arthur Capper, governor of Kansas, W. S. Waterman, a banker of Kansas City; Mrs. Stevens of Maine, Mrs. Leonora Lake, a Catholic speaker, and many others of lesser note. Thousands of dollars have been spent in newspaper advertising.

SAYS ROOSEVELT WILL DIRECT CANAL

ST. LOUIS, April 6.—"If Secretary Taft is elected President Mr. Roosevelt will be appointed director-general of the Panama Canal," said former Lieutenant-Governor John B. O'Meara of St. Louis, who has just returned from the canal zone.

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HEROINE TELLS HOW SHE SAVED 2 FROM WAVES

Miss Mary Barcellos Modestly Says: "Any Girl Would Have Done the Same."

GOT THE MEN JUST IN TIME

"I only did what anyone would have done when she saw two men drowning," modestly declared pretty Miss Mary Barcellos of Maverick square, East Boston, who, with Edward A. Scigliano, the prominent North End attorney, rescued two Everett young men from drowning in the Charles River, near the Spring wharf, Somerville late yesterday afternoon, after their boat capsized.

"We did all that we could to save two lives, and we were fortunate," declared Miss Barcellos to a reporter for the BOSTON AMERICAN to-day, here is the story of the brave rescue, told in her own words:

"It was yesterday afternoon, while Edward Scigliano and I were returning from an afternoon's outing in his canoe and were paddling through Cow Island Pond, I heard the screams of two men about fifty yards away from us, downstream. I turned, for I was paddling in the bow, and saw an overturned canoe and the two men's heads above the water.

Men Weakening Fast.

"In a jiffy I told "Ed" Scigliano of the danger of the two men. We paddled around faster than I ever want to paddle again. Finally the boat had pulled ahead and in less than two minutes after arrived at the spot. Both were getting tired and weak and we did not get there a second too soon, for they were growing weaker and weaker. They were holding on to the cowsole of their overturned craft, but it was very windy, in fact it seemed to be blowing a gale.

"In the meantime two other canoeists who saw the accident paddled away rather than jeopardize their lives by attempting the rescue. Mr. Scigliano shouted to the struggling men and told them to wait till he steadied the boat, but without a second warning one of them, Charles A. McDonald of No. 148 Bradford street, Everett, leaped into our boat and almost filled it with water again. We nearly capsized, but I fortunately steadied the boat in the nick of time. A moment later we passed one of our long paddles to the other terror-stricken man, Arthur MacKinnon of No. 21 Hancock street, Everett, and pulled them into the canoe.

Both Chilled to the Bone.

"Both men were chilled to the bone, and seemed almost unconscious. Scigliano paddled with all speed for the Samoset Canoe Club, where all four of us are members. I worked over the men and tried to warm them by rubbing their wrists. We arrived at the clubhouse, more than a mile away in West Roxbury. When we arrived there the two men were given nourishment and dry clothes. Neither of the two men were swimmers and both were very thankful to us for our help.

"I do not think that I did anything more than any one else would have done had they been in our places."

JAMAICA PLAIN IN GRIP OF TYPHOID EPIDEMIC

100 VICTIMS REPORTED WITHIN ONE WEEK; IMPURE MILK HELD TO BE THE CAUSE.

Over 100 cases of typhoid fever in the Jamaica Plain district, all of which have been reported within the past week, have stirred the board of health to action, and Dr. Durgin, chairman of that body, stated to the AMERICAN to-day, that while the epidemic had been directly traced to infected milk, the responsibility for its distribution has not been fixed, though it is expected that the primary source of the impure fluid will be located shortly.

The afflicted persons all live within a radius of 300 yards of the Boylston street station of the New Haven road and the majority of the victims received their milk from two dealers, whose product has been found by the board of health to have been infected with the typhoid germ.

Scores of New Cases Daily.

Ten year-old Mary Gaffney and her four-year-old sister Catherine, of Sylvia street, were the first to be taken ill last week. Since then, nearly a score of new cases have been reported daily, and not for years have the physicians of the district faced such an epidemic of the dreaded disease. Lamartine street, Spring Park avenue, Paul Gore street, Rock View street, Rossmont, Cornwall and Amory streets all have from two to five victims of the disease.

Dr. O'Keefe of Glen Road street is attending twelve afflicted patients; Dr. Rhea of Green street has nine cases; Dr. Collier of South street, nine cases; Dr. McCormick, nine cases; Dr. C. E. Malone of Glen road, eight cases; Dr. Nolan, six cases; Dr. Wentworth, six cases; Dr. Dunbar of Egleston square, five cases; Dr. Libby of Green street, five cases, and Drs. Mc-Gobs, O'Brien, Henry and Arthur Brough, Schmidt, Monk and Vickery are treating over a score of other patients.

Make Thorough Investigation.

The milk which is said to have caused all of the disease, according to one of the health officials, was given out to the milk dealers without being pasteurized.

Though it is believed that the spread of the disease has been checked, Dr. Durgin states that the board of health is conducting a thorough investigation for the purpose of determining where the impure milk originally was shipped, and whether or not there was negligence in the preparation of the milk before it was given to the dealers.

While all of the milk was delivered by these dealers, their ignorance of any impurities in the fluid is attested by the fact that the manager of one is among the most serious ill from typhoid.

HEROIC WORK KEEPS FLAMES FROM POWDER

Special to the Boston American.

PLYMOUTH, April 6.—By heroic efforts Captain Morrisey, chief forester, and Deputy Forester St. George to-day prevented a sweeping grass fire from reaching a case of dynamite and giant powder.

The powder was the property of James Murray, a quarry owner, who was to use it for blasting. The men were at work trying to prevent the fire reaching the factory of Jacob Rupprecht, when Mr. Murray's twelve-year-old boy notified them of the location of the explosive. The battle was a fierce one, on account of the high wind.

FORTUNE FOR MOULDER.

TRENTON, N. J., April 6.—Word has reached here that a legacy of $100,000 awaits Joseph Rupprecht, an iron moulder, who abandoned from his home in the Spring of 1882.

FEAR FIFTY MET DEATH IN LONDON FIRE

Special Cable to Boston American.

LONDON, April 6.—Eleven dead bodies have been found among the ruins of the two old tenement houses near the corner of Castle and Orchard streets, which were destroyed by fire to-day. It is believed that about fifty people perished in the fire. Forty persons are missing, but the police are not unable to carry on their investigation in the ruins.

It was at first thought the buildings were weakened from a gas explosion and fell, but upon investigation this afternoon it was found that the structures were weakened by excavations for new buildings. The scene attending the conflagration was a most spectacular one. Women living in the tenements were rescued with the greatest difficulty by the firemen. A few twenty persons were injured.

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Important Sale of La Lily Special Corsets

In consequence of the great success and demand attending our first sale of the La Lily Special Corsets we are prompted to again offer our customers an opportunity to secure these beautiful new long back models that sell for $2.00 for one week only at 1.00

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For One Week, beginning Monday, April 6th, we will hold a Special Demonstration and Sale of the well known "Klosfit" Petticoat—the most perfect-fitting garment ever designed. This beautiful garment, made of rustling Taffena or best quality Taffeta, with side gores that fit tightly over the hips, does away with the unsightly gathers that bunch up under the gowns, fits without a wrinkle, and helps to make the stout figure slender. They sell from $1.00 to $9.00 each.

Genuine Hydegrade Heatherbloom Petticoats, three beautiful styles, in colors and black. Positively worth $1.98, $2.25 and $2.50 each, will be sold during the week at, choice 1.39

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New Easter Undermuslins

375 Dozen — Nainsook and Muslin Gowns and Trimmed White Skirts, worth $1.25 each, at, choice 78c

180 Dozen — Lace or Embroidery Trimmed Drawers and Lace or Embroidery Corset Covers, worth $1.00 each, at, choice 65c

145 Dozen — Hamburg and Lace-Trimmed Chemise and Hamburg and Lace-Trimmed Combinations, worth $1.25 each, at 78c

New Easter Lingerie Waists

The most comprehensive showing of newest Spring styles—distinctive, original and exclusive—will be found on display in our Waist Department, 3d Floor, Washington St. Section. They are remarkable for their elaborate richness as well as unmatchable in price elsewhere in this city. In one lot alone marked at $1.98, it will be impossible later to duplicate them under $3.50 each. Another lot, marked $2.98, are actually worth and sold elsewhere at $4.50 each—and so on. The various lines now shown range in prices from 1.00 to 4.98.

EVERYTHING IN READINESS FOR OPERA TONIGHT

Both Mme. Eames and Signor Caruso Will Twitter on Schedule Time.

GIRLS IN LINE ALL DAY

Manager Ernest Goerlitz of the Metropolitan opera company of New York sits in the private office of the Boston Theatre this afternoon and says cheerfully to himself:

"No news is good news. So long as I don't get any 'phone messages from the Touraine or the Bellevue I know that everything is all right."

Mme. Emma Eames is at the Touraine, Signor Enrico Caruso is at the Bellevue. It is the unwritten law of grand opera management that the moment a star has a sore throat or stubs a toe or gets that tired feeling or anything which will prevent his or her singing, he or she shall immediately notify Manager Goerlitz.

As long as the manager doesn't get a word from his stars prior to their usual time for appearing for the performance, he knows all is well along the musical ramparts, and that his song birds will twitter at schedule time.

Up to a late hour this afternoon the manager had not been perturbed by any hurry-up calls from the two stars who are to be principals in to-night's opening performance of "Iris."

They are happy back on the stage, too, this afternoon. There are scene men, "props" and others have been putting up a few hundred or so pieces of scenery and properties.

Out front, in the lobby, four girls have been waiting all day. They are bound to be the first in line when the gallery seats go on public sale to-night.

HOWARD GOULD FILES ANSWER

NEW YORK, April 6.—Charges as sensational as the counter accusations made by his wife are said to be contained in the answer made by Howard Gould to the suit of his wife, Katherine Clemmie Gould, for separation, which is filed in the Supreme Court this afternoon.

It is believed that Mrs. Gould's lawyers will move in court to-day to strike out certain portions of the answer. Should they succeed it will result in the allegations made by Gould becoming public.

Boston American Daily Home Magazine

The Manicure Lady Tells How Wilfred Would Free Ireland

By William F. Kirk

"WELL, George," said the Manicure Lady, "I hear Ireland is going to be free at last."

"I ain't seen nothing about it," said the Head Barber. "Was it in the papers?"

"Wilfred seen it in the Journal the other night. I didn't see it myself, but Wilfred came home with a smile all over his face. 'Think of it, Sis,' he tells me, 'Ireland is going to have home rule! Think of what that means.'

"'What do you care, Wilfred?' says I. 'What do I care?' says he. 'Why, don't you know that for years and years and years I have been praying that Ireland might be free?'

"And he has, George, I remembered right after he spoke of several articles that he wrote for the Bronx Republican. One of them was a poem that started:

"'Erin, go bar Ireland done, Larry;
Were that a thing to be,
Give me three fingers of ould Irish, Larry,
Only three fingers of ould Irish, Larry.'

"Wilfred never got the poem printed, because a chap by the name of Doyle got jealous when he seen the stuff, and being a kind of assistant editor he threw it in the waste basket. 'Poor Genius!' I says.

Gets It in His Flat

"I DON'T care whether Ireland gets home rule or not," declared the Head Barber. "This ain't Ireland, and as far as I am concerned, I get enough home rule up at the flat. The only trouble is that my wife is the home ruler. And I guess she ain't there with the scepter, Kid. I'm like the fellow that was married ten years and never got a chance to say anything to his wife except 'yes' or 'no.'

"Wilfred cares, whether you do or not," said the Manicure Lady. "He's got a great scheme on foot, now. He and a chap by the name of Thlenain and another guy by the name of Dick Gregory is going to start an army right away, salt over to Ireland as soon as they can get transportation, and insist that England makes good right off the reel.

"Wilfred has never went to the wars, but he has a brave heart and he can shoot pretty good with an air rifle. Thlenain and Gregory, his lieutenants, is old campaigners, and what Wilfred don't know about fighting he can learn from them.

Just Like Napoleon

"WILFRED told me last night that he was like Napoleon. He said Napoleon would never have been a great man if he hadn't been the wise kid in picking his lieutenants.

"'Besides,' Wilfred says, 'if I can once get over there and seize a newspaper, and get a chance to write some of my ballads, I'll make England hide her head in shame. I will write so fiery like and so earnest, says Wilfred, that Ireland will be free after the first edition is out on the streets.'

"I didn't say anything to discourage him, George, because the poor kid has met with lots of disappointments; but honest, there ain't a chance for that army of his. One time when we was living on the Staten Island he got up a scheme to seize the ferry.

"He had been reading about a fellow named John Brown, and got a hunch that he would be a great thing to repeat. He spoke to several of his friends about it, but none of them wanted to do anything, so he makes up his mind to go out and grab the ferry himself.

"He didn't make a very good job of it, George. A policeman hit him with a club, and the war was over. He was home in bed three days.

Celebrated in Verse

"WHILE he was in bed he wrote one of the best poems that he ever wrote. It started:

"'No one who seeks in Freedom's cause
To toil with might and main,
There must be failure and applause,
Nothing but harsh commands to cease,
And cry, and wailing, and distress,
And never end pain.'"

The Head Barber sighed. "So Wilfred was going to do like John Brown? What a nerve! I never could understand how such a sensible kid as you are could have so many loonies.

"Dippy?" snorted the Manicure Lady. "Who ever said that Wilfred was dippy? How dare you, George, call a brother of mine dippy? He ain't dippy at all. Just visionary. He is a dreamer of dreams."

"He ought to turn over and get off his back, then," said the Head Barber. "He snores."

To Tell Character By Shape of Thumb

THE closer the thumb is set to the wrist, the greater the amount of amiable qualities a person possesses. And, conversely, the higher on the hand the thumb is set, the lower the order of his mental and moral make-up.

Monkeys' thumbs start from the hand at a point close to the finger. The closer to this formation a human being comes, the more monkey-like intelligence and disposition he has.

A thumb set very close to the wrist shows sympathy for all in distress, great generosity, independence, love of liberty for self and others, and a readiness to share with the unfortunate.

When the second phalanx of the thumb is much longer than the first phalanx, there is a discordant relation between reason and will.

Reason overpondertates to such an extent that the entire life is spent in planning what to do, without ever doing.

A person of this kind sees clearly what is best for him, but lacks determination to put it into execution.

He sees the goal and the steps necessary for attaining it; but in the same breath he takes in all the obstacles, and, while he is pondering the matter the opportunity to win success escapes.

Handy Things for Housewives to Know

A GOOD chamois can be bought for not more than twenty-five cents, and if well taken care of will last for several years.

First wash windows with a damp sponge, then take the chamois skin, wring as dry as possible, wipe the window and finish with an old cloth. This is the best as well as the quickest method.

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A cheap, simple and most effective dish freshener for a sick room can be prepared at home. Put some ground coffee in a saucer, and in the centre of it place a small piece of camphor gum, which light with a match. Let the candled slowly, then extinguish the coffee to consume with it. The perfume is very pleasant and healthful.

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Never try to lay linoleum when it is cold. Leave it for at least twenty-four hours in a warm room, so that the heat may thoroughly penetrate to the centre of the roll, or it will crack and peel off when laid down. The floor should be perfectly clean before it is entirely dry the linoleum should be unrolled slowly, then and tacked into place. The slight dampness will water.

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To remove grease from woodcuts or boys' and men's clothing take four parts ammonia to one part of ammonia and about half as much ether as ammonia. Apply liquid to grease spot and then rub diligently with a woolen cloth and clear water. Ammonia may be either dissolve the grease, and the ammonia and form a soap and is washed out with the water.

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Hair brushes and combs when oily can be cleaned in corn meal. Water will make the bristles of the brush soft and make the comb look old. If any particles remain in the comb, use a toothpick to remove them.

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Paint all iron hooks that are to be put up in the pantry, kitchen or bedroom, and there will be no rust spots on towels or clothes. The paint for these hooks may be dipped in good, white enamel paint and allowed to dry thoroughly before they are put up. If one has no brush with which to do the painting

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"Well, I don't, Blaridell, there is something queer about him."

"Yes, he is a bit offish and mysterious, but I suppose it is his way. Surely a man has a right to be exclusive if he chooses."

"I don't like him," insisted Banks; "he has a cunning restless eye and an air of mysterious expectancy that makes me dislike and suspect him. He is not even sociable and has never taken a drink with us and seems to be expecting something to happen.

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"Did you ever notice how he starts when any one enters the room? Looks up quizzically as though waiting for some one. Makes no difference what he is doing, whether it is a hand at poker or a game of billiards, he scrutinizes every face with a searching, hunted expression.

"Conserve, Banks, the fellow is all right, just queer, lived on a ranch out West a long time, and has acquired the imaginary air of mystery through years of sheep herding and solitary living.

"Hello, Wilkins, we've just been discussing titles and his peculiarities. Let's have a drink and your opinion."

They rang for the white-coated page, who silently removed the empty glasses and soda glasses and as quietly replaced them with fresh ones.

"Never met him until last night," began Wilkins. "I should say a bit standoffish, but a nice sort for all that. He gave me a cigar, and a mighty good one, too. Asked me to join him at his club this afternoon for a game of cards.

Talk of Mystery

"Turnbull said he never saw him so enthusiastic as he was at meeting me. Queer, but not offensive, in the way I judged the fellow. All this talk about mystery is bosh. He is of a peculiarly retiring disposition, has had his ups and downs in life, been afloat on two, I dare say, and is beginning to feel the hand of time. Nothing mysterious about that, there?"

"But speaking of mysteries," went on Wilkins, "do you remember that Lockwood murder some twenty years ago?"

"I must see before my time," answered Bartlett, "though I remember hearing of it later."

"Tell us about it," urged Banks.

"This man Lockwood," began Wilkins, belonging to my club. He was a very young fellow and very much in love with a beautiful young wife. On the night of the murder I was laid up with a sprained ankle. Lockwood spent the early evening at the club drinking and playing cribbage, which I was seemingly in too low spirits. He left the club ostensibly for home earlier than usual, but nothing was thought of it at the time.

"The next day his lovely wife was found dead in bed, her head almost severed from her body. Lockwood had disappeared. At the coroner's inquest it was proven by the servants' testimony that he had arrived home earlier than was his custom and had gone direct to his wife's rooms. He must for a left some time later after he had committed his horrible deed."

"Ever catch him?" asked Bartlett.

"No, and no motive for the crime was ever known. It was the most cold-blooded, wanton murder I ever heard of."

Suddenly Wilkins's voice faltered, he looked up, and there stood Giles, a strange, drawn expression creeping over his face that even the thick black beard could not conceal, and making him hideously unpleasant.

The Other Side

"Gentlemen," he began deliberately, "let me explain the other side. This man Lockwood did murder his wife and the findings of the jury were correct, but the jury did not find that he had killed her because me had discovered she was unfaithful to him, and that his best friend was her tempter.

"Richard Lockwood was young, handsome and rich when he wooed and won pretty Elaine Monroe. He met her in the mountains where he had gone for his vacation after leaving college. Her father was looked on as the black sheep of the village and she sometimes attended the delivery wagon for him in spite of social, financial and parental differences, he married her. Not a cloud darkened their sky of happiness until that awful night. He was in my office, and after a game hand or cribbage and a drink or two left the club for home. I was the last but friend ever saw of him.

"Nothing unusual transpired to found a man trail him Smith for the present) in Smith's chamber. He was unarmed and Smith was too quick for him. He dashed through the open window on to the fire escape and jumped to the street below, sprained his ankle."

Deadly silence prevailed the room and the listeners were too interested to notice Wilkins, whose face was ashen and who seemed limp and dazed.

"In his frenzy, went on Giles, "he caught up a razor and murdered the unfaithful woman who had ruined and disgraced him. He knew he would be suspected, he remained in New York, so he left that night, taking only what money he had in his pockets to begin life anew. He took an assumed name and began at back doors. He went on, scarcely knowing what he was doing, until he reached upper Washington Territory. He bought a band of sheep, and there began the real fight between himself and this Smith.

"He was a broken man made old in a night, remained by a single love. Through a faithful friend he learned that his fashionable and successful wife had stuck to him man for man, all but this Smith' and in my letters to him the unsavory figure in the chair beside him, who had deplored the sudden distasteful notoriety which had fallen upon their honorable and aristocratic order.

Hate and Revenge

"Hate and revenge grew stronger with these stories. Why did make him pay for his pleasure? She had paid—he had paid. Why shouldn't the other man pay? Through the long, lonely years in the solitary hills his heart cried louder and louder for vengeance. He fought to stifle the Smith, murderous desire, but it grew with the years of suffering.

"At last he could stand it no longer. He did not want to sneak upon the destroyer like a thief and strike him down, he wanted to play with him as he had been played by Smith, a sheep in wolf's clothing. So he came to New York. Hate and fury grew stronger at the sight of the old scenes and faces. He found that 'Smith' had joined another club and had set up another home and was practically living in retirement—a victim of his former deeds of sin.

"Through a friend he was made a member of that particular club. A heavy, lonely, hopeless period of time were his only disguise. It was not hard, alas, part of his life. He struggled to keep down the cup of bitterness and hail listened to the chatterings of the fools who passed their time through years of his sleepless nights and lonely days.

"The club fellows thought him queer, disliked and suspected him, yet he never failed to receive rewarded him. He met Smith last night, gave him a cigar and a drink, and—too, and arranged to meet him here today for a hand at—"

Wilkins had struggled to his feet, deadly pale and trembling. Instantly a pistol shot rang out, and Wilkins sank back in his chair—dead.

Handing the still warm weapon to one of his dazed, astonished listeners and coolly setting himself in another chair he said: "Gentlemen, that was the other side of the story told by Lockwood himself. Now, for the police."

Daily Short Story

Other Side of the Story

By Margaret Carruthers

Cook Book Free For Choice Recipes

THE writer of every recipe printed below receives a copy of the BOSTON AMERICAN Economy Cook Book, a substantial blankbook of 120 pages, bound in heavy oilcloth, especially designed to preserve these recipe gems in permanent form. Address Economy Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 80 Summer street, Boston.

BREAKFAST CAKES

TAKE a piece of bread dough when light and roll to about one-half inch thick. Cut in diamond shapes and fry in lard of lard about one-quarter inch deep. Fry until a golden brown. Serve with maple syrup These are excellent.

MRS. J. F. TRIMBLE,
No. 26 Brook street, Keene, N. H.

GRIDDLE CAKES

TWO cups flour, four teaspoons baking powder, one teaspoon salt, one egg beaten, one tablespoon melted butter, two tablespoons melted butter. Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Add the beaten egg, then the milk gradually. Mix until smooth. Add the melted butter, beat thoroughly and pour by the spoonful on a hot, greased pan or griddle. When full of bubbles and the under side is brown, turn and brown the other side. Serve at once. Very nice.

MRS. ETTA EINSTEIN,
No. 1963 Washington street, Boston.

CREAMED SALMON

ONE can of salmon; turn off the oil; take out the bones and pound fine with a mallet. One pint of bread crumbs. Make a sauce of one pint of milk, one tablespoonful of cornstarch, stirred in after the milk is boiling; after it has thickened, season with butter, pepper and salt to taste. Grease a deep dish; put in a layer of crumbs at the bottom, then a layer of salmon, a layer of crumbs, and so until the dish is filled, finishing with a layer of crumbs. Bake in a slow oven one hour and a half.

MRS. ELIZABETH TAYLOR,
No. 655 Quinnipiac avenue, New Haven, Conn.

SALMON AND PEA SALAD.

One can salmon. Pour off the oil. Pick to pieces with a fork. Pour the juice from a can of peas. Mix with salmon and add dressing. Garnish with lettuce, celery or parsley. Dressing—One level teaspoon salt. Three teaspoons of sugar; mix with a little sweet cream to make paste. Yolks of three eggs beaten, add to above; three-quarters cup of sweet cream—half cup vinegar, butter one-half size of egg. Put in a double boiler, adding when cooked one of eggs. Stir constantly until it thickens. Add to the hot with any of the cream. This will keep for weeks and makes three salads.

MRS. LILLIE TAYLOR,
No. 42 Brook road, Forest Hills.

CHOCOLATE CAKE

ONE cup of sugar, one tablespoon melted butter; mix thoroughly and add one beaten egg; one cup of sour milk, one teaspoon of soda, two of cream of tartar, one and a half cups of pastry flour, one teaspoon of vanilla; add last one square of chocolate dissolved in one-quarter cup of milk and one-quarter cup boiling. Bake in layer cakes. Make the nature nearly as thick as will easily pour. Flavor and reserve for adding.

MRS. C. S. GROUT,
No. 109 Milton street, Roxbury.

POTATO SOUP

BOIL separately six large potatoes and one large onion, then mash together, adding one pint of boiling water and pepper and salt to taste. Boil one quart of milk and stir in one quarter pound of fat pork, then add all together and let it come to a boil. This is very cheap and is delicious.

MRS. F. N. HORSMAN,
No. 108 Fremont street, Malden.

HADDOCK A LA CREME

BONE a fresh haddock; butter a tin; sprinkle with pepper and salt and the juice of half a lemon; put a few small pieces of butter on the fish; bake in hot oven. Make sauce with one tablespoon of butter, one of flour, one cup of milk, cook over fire, without browning, add the melted salt a cup of hot milk. If too thick add a little more milk; when done add a gill of shrimps. Pour liquid from the pan into the sauce. Pour the sauce over the fish on into a hot dish. Put some over it and serve.

WINIFRED ROONEY,
No. 42 Brook road, Forest Hills.

Dorothy Dix Says:

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Is It a Husband's Duty to Guard His Wife Against Folly?

DOT all of the sins that wreck domestic life are big sins.

Love is done to death oftener by pin pricks than it is by a dagger thrust.

More affection is alienated by disagreeable little habits than ever is by infidelity.

More homes are made an understudy of the inferno by hateful little weaknesses of character than ever are by some one great crime.

If it is the duty of a man who marries a young, inexperienced and untaught girl to steer her safely past the Scylla of the boarding house, and cafe, and good fellowship, and silly flirtation, it is equally his business to pilot her by the Charybdis of his housekeeping and slovenliness. If in his business he dines from the finest to little foxes that eat up the grapes that grow on the vine, he is self-destroyed.

The temptations that beset the average woman are not from without, but within. Most of us in this country—who are wives have a hundred years of virtue behind us, with Puritanism bred into our very bones.

As a result we are not temperamental, and we keep in the straight and narrow path not only because it is the right road to walk, but because we have no fire within to strike off into the bypaths. They don't attract us.

No Danger of Mashers

MOST of us prefer pink lemonade to cocktails, and old maid to poker, while as for men—well, few of us are so downright in the curse of beauty that we have to call in the police to protect us from the ardent gaze of mashers.

So far as her public behavior I concerned, the American man is practically justified in abutting his eyes and letting his wife use the woman suffrage, ninety nine times out of a hundred, a pair of little jog-trot along the beaten highway of respectability.

In private life, however, it is a different story. Every young wife needs to feel that her husband is Argus-eyed, and that he unless something else does or fails to do.

Perhaps it sounds illogical to say that a man is primarily responsible for his wife's being a poor cook and a slattern, but it is a queer opinion just, nevertheless. The woman has failed to do her duty because she wasn't watched. Her husband, so far as she could tell, never noticed what she did, or how she had furnished up the house, or what she had on, and lacking any incentive for effort, the woman followed the path of least resistance and did nothing.

I offer this to bridegrooms as a tip that they can pay all across the board, and that will win out every time—watch everything your wife does. Comment on it.

If she does it well, speak of it regretfully as a slight accident that will not happen a second time, and it won't occur.

If she does well, do not stint your praise. Give her the glad hand and she will break her neck to keep up the round of applause.

Not in this such a weakness as it appears. The home is the only stage on which the average domestic woman ever appears. Her husband is the small and select audience to which she plays. If he sits up as dumb and unobservant as a block of wood, nobody could expect her to put much enthusiasm and ginger into her performance.

If a woman finds out that her husband evinces as much appreciation of corned beef and cabbage and savory potatoes, or a piece of cold stuff that she brought in the delicatessen store, as he does for the delicious and wholesome dinners that she spent hours of loving care in cooking, she will be a self-abnegating angel if she doesn't slide into setting the easiest gotten thing before him.

"What's the Use?"

IF a wife discovers that her husband doesn't look at her any less when she's got on a dirty old kimono, and no corset, and her hair screwed up into a knob with one hairpin skewered through it, that he does when she has put on something pink and lacy and marcelled her hair for the movies, who can blame her if she says to herself, "Oh, what's the use?" and degenerates into the dowdy, sloppy habit?

Probably the majority of husbands who do not comment on their wives' bad management and cooking and breakfast curl papers keep silence from a sense of politeness, but to them a wife's whole duty thing to criticise a lady's appearance and manners.

Never was there a greater miscarriage of gallantry. In the first place, criticism vitiates the lack of remark to blindness and indifference on the man's part.

In proof of this you have only to look around and see that in every household where the man watches every move she does, and what she wears, the woman is an individual managing and always charmingly dressed.

Like to Be Watched

EVERY woman has an instinctive desire to live up to her husband's ideal of her, and when she doesn't it is almost always because she thinks that he has ceased to notice her.

Let it not be thought that I am advising husbands to play the part of a detective or spy. Far from it. I think that snooping around the kitchen and auditing his wife's bills ought to be a cause for divorce. A man has no business meddling in the wife's business of housekeeping. He should give her a fair and generous proportion of his income for her own use and spend it then watch out for the results.

And women like to be watched. They like to feel that they are so important in some one man's eyes that the slightest of the straying of a curl about her brows; that there is a wisdom and a judgment and a knowledge of the world interposed between them and the mistakes they might make, and that they can throw themselves upon a protecting tenderness that guards them like a special providence.

It's anachronistic, but even in this day of the independent new woman the happiest woman is the one who is most watched.

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Tomorrow's Best Bargains in Boston's Big Stores

FILENE'S WILL OFFER on Tuesday just ten waists that have been regularly priced from $12.50 and $15 to sell for $4.98 each. These are beautiful models in black, blue and white messaline, in tucked, plaited, with strappings of the same material. In this price these skirts are exceptional bargains. All sizes may be found in the lot.

AN UNUSUAL BARGAIN IN LADIES' hose will be found at James H. Hunt's purses will be found at James H. Hunt's for Tuesday only. Twenty dozen of their regular $1 purses will go on sale at 49c each. They are made with French calf leather and imported seal, with inside pocket back, with four inside compartments, well finished and strongly stitched. Every one will be sold to shop early for these, as the lot is small.

TO-MORROW AT VORENBERG'S NOVELTY Store in Winter street they will place on sale for one day a lot of 36-cent coffee strainers for 18 cents. These strainers are silver plated with ebony finish handles and are genuine bargains at this price.

TUESDAY AT HOUGHTON & DUTTON'S they will place on sale a lot of soiled white waists at prices way below cost. In the lot will be found fine batiste and lawn ranging in prices from 98 cents up to $2.

To close them out they will be marked to 49 cents each. There are several styles, long and short sleeves, some trimmed with embroidery and others with lace in pretty yoke and all-over effects.

A BARGAIN IN A SILK petticoat will be found at Filene's Basement. A lot of regular $2.50 petticoats in black and colors will be on sale Tuesday for $2.35. They are made of fine quality of rustling taffeta, with full flounce, tucked flounce thirteen inches deep.

IN THE STATIONERY DEPARTMENT of Jordan, Marsh Company they will have a special sale of leather portfolios Tuesday at 49 cents each. These little novelties are wicker baskets of different colors, with a fancy bit or chicken tucked away in colored cotton batting. A fresh and fresh button would make just the thing for an Easter offering they ought to quickly go.

AT MacDONNELL'S TREMONT Temple Store they will place on sale Tuesday a lot of lawn waists for 98 cents, reduced from $1.50. The waists in this lot are made of exceptionally fine quality lawn with hemstitched tucked back and three-quarter length sleeves. All sizes may be had in this style

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NO WEDDING BELLS FOR BATCH!

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1.
BY JOVE! IT WAS JOLLY MISS SMYTHES DOG, AND ITS LOST.
ITS WORKING GREAT!
BOW!
2.
OH MR BATCH! HOW DID YOU EVER FIND A LITTLE THING LIKE THAT? WHAT A LOVE OF A MAN YOU ARE
3.
MR. BATCH, IVE JUST BEEN DYING TO —
4.
— MAKE A LEAP YEAR PROPOSAL AND —
5.
MR BATCH!
6.
DOT. THAT MAN IS A SNAKE!
BOW!
SWINNERTON

DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE
Parts of a Gun

What Part of a Gun Is This?

ANSWER

ONE of the puzzle pictures is published daily in the BOSTON AMERICAN. For each correct answer received a prize will be given weekly for the best answers.

First prize will be divided as follows:
First prize $10
Second prize 5
Third prize 3
Fifth prizes of $1 each 5
Total $20

Cut out the puzzle pictures each day, write your answer on each, and mail the complete set of seven on Saturday to the PUZZLE EDITOR, BOSTON AMERICAN. Do not forget your name and address. If you want your work returned send a self-addressed envelope with your first suggestions as to PAY AMERICAN. Be sure to see the BOSTON AMERICAN.

Where lists are equally correct the prizes will be given to those sending the best suggestions.

The list of prize-winners of last week's contest, together with the final picture of this week's series, will be published in next SUNDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN.

HUNGARIANS GREET GLADYS AS A QUEEN

Royal Welcome for American Countess at Szechenyi's Ancestral Home.

FLY STARS AND STRIPES

OERMOEZOE, Hungary, April 6.—The Countess Gladys Szechenyi is in her castle to-day, the end of her long journey to her Hungarian home. She came in state, a company of peasant outriders, garbed in the Hungarian national costume, galloped before and behind her carriage. Gipsy bands and dancers lined the highway; the village children spread flowers beneath her horses' feet and cried, "Hail, our Countess!" as she passed by; the Dowager Countess kissed her and turned over the keys of the estate to her as she entered.

And in her honor, for the first time in its history, an American flag waved over the ancient chateau all day.

With the Pomp of a Queen.

A queen could not have been attended to her palace with but little more pomp and display than that lavished upon the former Miss Vanderbilt, of New York, by Count Laszlo on the journey to the home over which she is to preside as his wife.

Two hundred dollars in tips to the servants of the Budapest Hotel were given by Szechenyi as he emerged with the Countess and began the ride to Oermoezoe in a private car, bedecked with flowers. A cook, a butler and two maids in charge of forty feminine trunks accompanied them. Crowds gathered at every station to greet the new Countess, in spite of a heavy rain. At each stop the Countess Gladys walked out upon the rear vestibule and cried, "Thank you," in Hungarian.

Finally Oermoezoe station was reached. As the Count and Countess left the train the Dowager Countess Irene came forward from the station platform, caught her son in her arms and kissed him again and again. In her joy at greeting Count Laszlo his mother evidently forgot the formalities for a moment, because she did not release him from her embrace until he drew the American Countess forward and gave her into the Dowager's arms.

But the belated welcome lost nothing in enthusiasm. "I am overjoyed to find you in such a state of happiness," said the Countess Irene. "I hope nothing will ever mar your happiness or my son's throughout your lives."

"Thank you," responded Countess Gladys. "I am sure that nothing ever will."

Fifty Mounted Men.

After the station master, the Mayor and the village parson had rendered their congratulations and boys thanked the party entered a four-seated carriage and started on the six-mile drive to Oermoezoe Castle, the ancient old home of the Szechenyis.

The Dowager Countess and Count Stephen, Laszlo's brother, had covered the floor of the carriage with a deep carpet of Hungarian flowers. The four horses, caparisoned with barbaric splendor, also carcoled beneath a load of floral bloom and tinkling silver bells.

As the procession started for the castle fifty mounted men suddenly appeared at a gallop, blew a fanfare of trumpets, unfurled flags at the pommels of their saddles and surrounded the carriage, galloping forward with it impostingly, behind, ahead and abreast.

A mile from the village the cavalcade pulled up in a wooded road-glen while gypsy maidens, fantastically garbed, ran out and sang wild songs and danced at the side of the carriage. A bit further on the party finally dashed into view of the castle, fifty village girls emerged from the surrounding woods and threw flowers into the roadway for the Countess's carriage to pass over.

GLADYS AT TIME OF HER MARRIAGE

Yankee girl, now Countess Szechenyi, who has been enthusiastically welcomed at her Hungarian home.

SUICIDE'S BODY FOUND BY WIFE

Charles F. Sullivan, a milkman, living at No. 31 Grande Ville street, Roslindale, was found hanging to a beam early to-day by his wife, who went to his room to call him.

He was last seen by his wife last night about dusk, when he left the house to feed the cattle. His wife can assign no cause for the suicide. Mr. Sullivan was not despondent, and had no trouble that was known. The medical examiner has been notified.

DEAD BROKE, SLAYS SELF

PALL RIVER, April 6.—Giving as his reason for suicide that he was "dead broke and couldn't get a job," Frank Kirk, a fisherman, aged forty-two, shot himself in front of a lunch cart at the corner of Rock and Bedford streets early to-day and died a few hours later at the City Hospital. One bullet went into his skull, but he was able to walk to the police wagon, and at the hospital undressed himself. He was unmarried and boarded at No. 196 Hope street.

Y. M. C. A. NIGHT LAW SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY

The Evening Law School of the Boston Y. M. C. A. will observe its tenth anniversary at the Y. M. C. A. building, corner of Berkeley and Boylston streets, to-morrow night, with a banquet. Among those who will address the anniversary gathering are former Governor John L. Bates, Samuel J. Elder, Hollis R. Bailey, Dean Ames of Harvard Law School and several attorney graduates of the Y. M. C. A. school.

NOT ONLY THE INDIGESTION, BUT ALL STOMACH MISERIES WILL GO

There will not be a case of Indigestion here if readers who are subject to Stomach trouble knew the tremendous digestive virtue contained in one 25-grain Triangle Dyspepsia Tablet. This harmless preparation is eaten and tastes like candy, though one Triangle will digest a hearty meal without the slightest fuss or discomfort, and relieve the sourest, acid stomach in five minutes, besides overcoming all foul, Nauseous odors from the breath.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula plainly printed on each 50-cent case of Pape's Dispepsin, then you will readily understand why this promptly cures Indigestion and removes such symptoms as Heartburn, a feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach, Belching of Gas and Eructations of undigested food, water brash, Nausea, Headache, Billiousness and many other bad symptoms; and, besides, you will not need laxatives to keep your stomach and intestines clean and fresh.

If your Stomach is sour or your food doesn't digest, and your meals don't tempt you, why not get a 50-cent case today and make life worth living? Absolute relief from Stomach misery and perfect digestion of anything you eat is sure to follow for five minutes after, and, besides, one case is often sufficient to cure a whole family of such trouble.

Surely, a harmless, inexpensive preparation like Dispepsin, which will always, either at daytime or during the night, relieve your stomach misery and digest your meals, is about as handy and valuable a thing as you could have in the house. Pape, Thompson & Pape, Cincinnati, Ohio.

INJUNCTION OFF SMELTERS

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 6.—Mining interests in Utah are very much pleased over the decision of the United States Federal Court, which allows the United States Smelting, Refining & Mining Company to resume operations on its lead smelter and dismisses the temporary injunction against the company recently obtained by the farmers in the district on account of the smoke nuisance.

WOMAN ENDS LIFE IN RIVER

Miss Emma Slagle, thirty, of No. 10 Orange street, Waltham, left home clad in her night robe, some time after 3 a. m., and jumped into the Charles River near the Weeid avenue bridge. The body was recovered at 6:45 a. m. by Officers Donohue and Rhodes.

Several months ago local physicians who examined Miss Slagle pronounced her insane and recommended that she be placed in some asylum where she might receive proper medical treatment, but Miss Slagle and her sisters objected to this.

CANDIDATES FOR U. S. MARSHAL

There is much speculation among local Republican leaders over the appointment of a successor to General Charles K. Darling, who last week resigned as United States marshal for this district to be clerk of the circuit court.

Prominently mentioned for the place are Charles P. Morse, Brd United States deputy marshal; Edward G. Graves, president of the Republican city committee, and Ody Hamlin, former assistant United States attorney. Deputy Marshal Morse, however, has declared that he is not a candidate for the place.

AUTO FIRM HEAD DIES.

STRATFORD, Ct., April 6.—Willard R. Miller, forty-eight, president of the Miller Motor Car Company of Bridgeport, and formerly connected with several automobile factories, is dead at his home here.

1 KILLED, 20 HURT AT FIRE IN TENEMENT

NEW YORK, April 6.—One dead and twenty injured, several probably fatally, is the casualty list in a fire which practically destroyed the four-story tenement at No. 470 Pearl street to-day. Fifteen horses also lost their lives.

The flames melted gas pipes in the cellar of the building, and nearly all the victims were overcome by the fumes while clinging to the fire escapes. Several fell to the street or yard in the rear of the building.

Miss Julia Isola, twenty-two, was coming down the fire escape when a burst of flame from the second story window set her hair afire. She jumped and was instantly killed. The injured were hurried to hospitals. The fifteen horses died where in a nearby stable and were overcome by gas fumes.

SEEK MISSING GIRL IN WOODS

Special to the Boston American.

EAST BRAINTREE, April 6.—The woods in this district are being thoroughly searched to-day in an endeavor to find a Miss Barnitz, thirty years of age, who has recently been living at the home of Mrs. Irving E. Whitcom Commercial street, and who disappeared yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock and has not been heard from since.

Miss Barnitz was a resident of Cleveland, Ohio. She was in San Francisco at the time of the earthquake, and the experience unbalanced her mind slightly. She had come East to recover her health if possible, and had shown signs of improvement. The fire and police departments are searching, and they are materially augmented by private individuals.

RESCUE TWO IN HEAVY SEA

SALISBURY BEACH, April 6.—Captain Stevens, harbor master at Newburyport, and a companion narrowly escaped drowning yesterday afternoon while out fishing in a gasoline dory. While out, a high wind and sea came up, and it was impossible for them to get back to shore.

The dory drifted down to the Salisbury Beach life saving station where it was seen by Lt. H. Merritt, who was at that time on duty in the tower. He notified Captain Charles, and the lifeboat was launched. After a hard battle the dory was towed up the Hampton River and the men were put on shore.

FLEET WILL CALL AT PORT HARTFORD

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The itinerary of the battleship fleet from Magdalena Bay to San Francisco was altered to-day to include Port Hartford, between Santa Barbara and Monterey.

You Can Heat the Smallest or the Biggest Building Cheapest with a Winchester Heater

A Child Can Run It

It is no easy of manipulation. Its corrugated fire box makes heat out of clinkers and cuts down coal bills. It is an ideal heater for an old as well as a new building. Hot water or steam is the cheapest method of heating. Write at once for our booklet on heating.

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EVIDENCE TOO STRONG TO SUIT VANDERBILT

BREAKERS IN DIVORCE SUIT—HUSBAND IS PAINTED TOO BLACK.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Breakers are coming up in the Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt divorce case. Notwithstanding the efforts of the attorneys for both sides to hasten the matter to an end, Anderson & Anderson, representing the young man, must remain within certain instructions given by him before he sailed for Europe.

A business associate of Vanderbilt, a man who has negotiated loans for him, had no to-day that Alfred Gwynne had not been overdrawn, being painted in certain colors, provided the paint was not applied too thickly. It is said that in some of the depositions submitted for Mrs. Vanderbilt the limit set by the husband has been exceeded.

Cut Out Some of the Names.

A conference was held to-day and the proposition of withdrawing some of the depositions was discussed. It is reported that names have been brought into the case that he insisted ought to be kept out. Attorneys, are now in Philadelphia, Newport and other places to get new depositions.

That Alfred Gwynne is not worth $60,000,000, or anywhere near this sum, is well known by his bankers and others with whom he deals in a business way. That he is worth a score of millions is believed to be the truth.

Mrs. Vanderbilt "Hard-Up."

Mrs. Vanderbilt, it is said, has complained that she lacked money to uphold her end of society. She has even been compelled to buy sets of furs piece by piece, according to some of the stories. Alfred Gwynne declaring that he could not "afford all that stuff at one time."

Referee David McClure continues the taking of evidence to-day. He has completed the task of going over the depositions so far submitted.

Mrs. Vanderbilt is due for one more appearance before McClure. The servants of the household and eight other witnesses testify during the day.

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INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 6.—The Ohio and Western Pennsylvania operators came to town to-day determined to join in a call for an interstate conference with the miners and to boost the plans of President Lewis of the miners for an immediate peace settlement.

These operators, who have been whipped time and again by John Mitchell, changed to-day that Mitchell tried to force them to settle before April 1, in order to cover himself with glory as he retired. The operators feel no such antipathy for President Lewis, and they assert that as far as they are concerned there will be a joint interstate conference and a wage scale.

The Illinois and Indiana operators also arrived to-day. A part of the Indiana operators have already signed a scale, as have also the central Pennsylvania operators. The meeting to-day is behind closed doors and will probably adjourn to-night. It is understood that the Illinois operators will act as the only stumbling block to a joint call.

SLIGO CLUB TO DANCE.

The Sligo Social Club will hold its annual ball in Old Fellows Hall, May 25. The club, at its meeting in National Hall, South Boston, yesterday, listened to Miss Mary O'Dowd in a talk on her travels in Ireland.

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Wagner, s.s.	Hopkins, l.f.
McFarland, c.	Land, c.
Morgan, p.	Bushelman, p.

By A. H. C. MITCHELL.

TOLEDO, O., April 6.—The Red Sox are booked to wind up their exhibition series here this afternoon, and then they move on to Fort Wayne, Ind., for a couple of days. The rain yesterday beat the club out of about $1,000, as the Toledo fans are hot after baseball and they would have packed the little band-box they call a ball park here. To-day, being wash day, a large crowd cannot be expected, but the chances are there will be a fair outpouring of the frenzied ones.

There was a continued downpour yesterday and Manager McGuire was not even able to give his men any practice, which fact filled him with gloom. The Deacon is very keen on his men in condition and he even begrudges one day's rest.

The popular manager's old brother, Pat, came down from Albion, Mich., on purpose to see the Red Sox play and he was keenly disappointed that there was nothing doing. He spent the day loafing around the hotel corridors fanning with Boston players and returned home last night.

The weather in this section has moderated and everybody hopes for fairly warm conditions from now on. Most of the players think it is time to come north so early in the training season, they would much prefer to remain south of the Ohio River until it is time to open the championship race. There are business reasons, however, that force the clubs north in spite of the fact that cold weather and rain are to be expected.

The players were in shirtsleeves this morning as they appreciated the Sunday rest, and were anxious to take another fall out of Bill Armour's Shirtsleeves [illegible] look up for the struggle.

McGuire is contemplating putting some of his men to the test, as Barrett, Speed and Sullivan are likely to be seen on the regulars before the season opens and reports may also go to second base, replacing McConnell. The Deacon realizes that the club must have more batting and the changes will probably be made with that end in view.

Mike Boyd reported here, but he has been with the team for several days, left last night for Boston.

KEG OUT PLAYING BALL
THAT BOY HASN'T ANOTHER AMOUNT OF KNOCK IN HIM SINCE HE JOINED AMONG BALL
WHERE TAMMY IS OUT OF THE LOT PLAYIN' BALL
I TOLD SEEM I'M PLAYIN' OUT OF THE LOT PLAYIN' BALL
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NO WONDER BALL PLAYIN' TAMMIE
PLAYIN' BALL
GO HOME AND PLAY WITH YOUR DOLL
THAT'S WHAT I'M DOIN' JAMBIE IT'S HOME
HE ALWAYS WAS A GREAT BOY
HE'S THE BEST EVER
I KNEW HIS DAD A WONDER SOME DAY
I ALWAYS SAID THAT JIMMY WOULD BE A WONDER
NO WONDER BALL PLAYIN' TAMMIE
GO HOME AND PLAY WITH YOUR DOLL
WE NEVER KNOWS ANYTHING BUT THE BASEBALL SCORES
METHINK'S I CY YOUNG OUGHT TO RUN FOR PRESIDENT
HEAL BE A BUM SHORE
10 YEARS LATER IN THE BIG LEAGUES

Burns Signs to Meet Two More British "Desperadoes"

LIL ARTIE MUST WAIT FOR TOMMY

RUSSIAN LION GOING BACK TO LONDON

By TAD.

Tommy Burns will not return to the United States as soon as he thought he would. Tommy has decided to stay in Paris now and battle with two more desperadoes. The management of the Folies Bergere has offered him a purse to fight two men on the night of April 18—and Tommy has accepted. Two of the toughest men on the other side of the pond have been procured and a grand exhibition will no doubt be the result.

One of the men is Charley Wilson, who was knocked out by that Irish demon, Jem Roche. The other is Tiger Smith, who was handled nifty in two rounds by the great Gunner Moir.

Burns has a treacherous task on his hands trying to beat these warriors, but let us wish him well. It is said that he will receive $75,000,000 for his end, win, lose or draw.

There's no born every minute.

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It's very funny the way knockers try to belittle the man who has made Burns run to England, drew the color line and hunted the lemons. Now they are calling the big colored fellow all sorts of names, trying to poison the public opinion.

Johnson is a prize fighter; so is Burns. Prize fighters will never change the political economy of this country; neither will they affect Wall Street, nor will they help the education of the American people any. They are simply prize fighters—and that's all and nothing more. No matter what Burns may say, no matter what the jealous knockers may say, BURNS HAS TO WHIP JOHNSON or get off his high horse.

In his knocking, weak as it is, reminds me of the vaudeville show out in Nevada, when two young ladies attempted to sing a song. They were from a neighboring town and had trimmed one of the natives who happened to be in the audience this same eve. Before they came out, the big fat announcer put up his hand and said: "Gentlemen, the Lemonade Sisters will now sing 'Down by the River.'"

The gent who knew them from the other town jumped up and, with a horrible sath, yelled: "The Lemonade Sisters are a pair of ——— blankety ——— blankety ? ? ? ?"

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When he had finished the announcer raised his hand for silence and said with a smile, "Gents, the Lemonade Sisters may be all that the gentleman says they are, but they will STILL SING 'Down by the River.'"

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In a letter from a sporting man over in Paris I see where he says right that both Willie Lewis and Walter Stanton won their fights last Saturday in Paris, and now the pair may be matched to fight at the French Wonderland in the course of a month.

In part, the letter reads:

"Willie Lewis beat Jeff Thorne at the French Wonderland last night and he is a great improvement with the Parisian sports. Lewis met Thorne, who was Fitzsimmons's sparring partner at one time, and won the decision after ten rounds of fighting. Frank Erne was selected to referee at first but Thorne's manager made a kick and Victor Breyer landed the job. Lewis dropped Thorne twice in the first round and twice in the second, and then Thorne was so thoughtful as to walk down and over to see Walter Stanton, who was to meet Jack Costello at the Folies Bergere.

"Tommy Burns refereed this go, and before the fight Lewis jumped up and challenged the winner. There was nothing to it but Stanton from the start. Stanton had his own way in the audience this time in the sixth, but the bell saved him and he stuck until the ninth, when they threw up the sponge.

"The Paris sports are daffy on fighting now and the crowds are getting bigger each week. Pat O'Keefe fights Steve Smith at this place on next Saturday night."

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Jim Driscoll, England's premier featherweight, is the gay cavalier buttering that the Western fight promoters are chasing now. Luke Marsh, one of the promoters, has sent a cable to Mr. Watson, of Sporting Life, offering Driscoll $2,000, win, lose or draw with Attell, and an additional $500 for expenses.

The chances are that the Briton will pass the offer up, as America is the eyes of London now. Where the gilt is piled sky high in every town and hamlet in the land and all you have to do is to come over, and after you get the shorel pack it in.

Driscoll is coming over, however, and whether he fights Attell or Moran is answered in anyway. The latter is doing a horrible screech about the way he is being overlooked, but then we all get that "passed by" stuff occasionally. Moran drew with Attell, but that is not winning a decision over him. Abe is the recognized American featherweight champion. Driscoll is the best Jew Bull has, and the fight between these two would without question settle the featherweight championship.

Marish, in addition to the money offer, promises a grand $1,000 for a side bet, which goes to the winner.

At least we are getting down to real championship talk. After they get a few more bouts around them we will be less squabbling in the boxing game.

What's the matter with offering a belt for Bill Papke and Stanley Ketchell when they meet? There's the cayenne pepper go of the year.

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Young Corbett, like old Mrs. Gammidge is a "lone torn creetur" now that Terry McGovern has departed, and is thinking of going to Chicago, where he will open a "cafe for gentlemen."

"Chicago is the best place in the world, after New York," pipes Willie, "and I'm right out there. I'll go out next month and open my place, and if I make good will stick around a while. I have a proposition that listens good to me, and if I can get any kind of a start I think I'll get away with it."

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Ed Smith, a Chicago scribe, in speaking of our British cousin, T. Burns, has the following to say:

Cable from London, Eng.:
In Johnson still in town?

T. B.

D. M.—No: Twin Sullivan never fought a ten-round draw, look in fifteen and again in ten.

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Statement by Tommy Burns after the gruelling encounter with Jem Roche, the Westport demon:

"Gentlemen, if I could only get Jack Monroe in the ring now I'd feel that I had won the championship of the world without any doubt."

PACKEY PICKED TO WALLOP MR. BRITT

Boston American Leased Wire.

PHILADELPHIA, April 6.—A large crowd of fight followers visited Packey McFarland's camp at Millett's, and afterward returned to town McFarland declared Britt's assertion that the attorney was offered at 10 to 0 with [illegible] gloan on the long end.

Outside odds by McFarland in his opinion exceed the large gathering that he [illegible] his opponent for the local fight.

Packey went four rounds with Jim Reed, and when the time was up [illegible] was almost ready to go to the floor for them took off the gloves. Reed's effort he had thumped him for three rounds. Manager Welsh is in high favor with Pat from further punishment. After he had completed his afternoon's work McFarland stepped on the scales which balanced at an even 136 pounds.

Referee Jack Welsh was a visitor at Millett's and talked over the rules with McFarland. To-day or Tuesday Welsh will visit Britt's camp and have a confab with Jimmy.

Shannon's gymnasium was too small for the crowd which went over to San Rafael to see Britt. Britt put a lot of ginger into his work and showed great speed in his bouts with Eddie Madsen and "Spider" Champ, with each of whom he sparred three rounds. These bouts, and the rough and tumble work with Tim Creling kept the crowd shouting approval [illegible] Britt tipped the scales at 133½ pounds after his work.

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In some quarters the idea seems to prevail that the horses are to be handicapped by their records, but the directors state such is not the case, but the handicapping will be from the real speed of the horse as estimated August 15, when the handicaps of the entries are to be made public.

In this way a trotter may have a record of 2:09 or better and not be capable of racing better than 2:12, and this fact known to the officials he will be properly placed on the mark for 2:12 speed, which means that in the race only such horses of such second of speed, 2:09 fast in advance of horses counted capable of racing in 2:07.

As might have been expected horsemen are thoroughly aroused in the announcement of the $50,000 race, and all indications point to fully a hundred hundred entries when the initial payment of $100 is made May 15. No one can tell to a quarter he counts in stepping in 2:15 even and he is very apt to be over or under. His entry in having likely the first flier in getting the word will have about selling as long on he can remain in front.

DOESN'T WANT TO JOIN LYNN

ATLANTA, Ga., April 6.—The Brooklyn club is here. Manager Donovan is very much worried over the report that the National Commission has awarded Pitcher Finlayson to the Lynn (Mass.) club.

Finlayson was with the Paterson (N. J.) club in the Hudson River League last year and was drafted by Brooklyn. He made a phenomenal showing during the stay of the Brooklyn club at Jacksonville. It was said he would not return to Lynn, but Manager Donovan, not wishing to spoil his future, has advised him to follow out the order of the commission. The Brooklyns play here Monday and Tuesday, and then go to Nashville.

WALSH TO MEET PIERCE.

PHILADELPHIA, April 6.—The week's boxing programme here will open to-night when Jimmy Walsh of Boston and Young Pierce, the colored lad who fought Owen Moran in England, will meet at the West End A. C. Both will weigh in at 116 pounds at 8. Jack O'Brien will referee the bout.

CROMPTON'S FINE RECORD.

The ninth week of the C class amateur billiard tournament at the Hub Palace finds Crompton in the lead, with eight straight victories. Crompton and Frank play to-night.

FOSHNER QUITS PROVIDENCE

Knap Foshner, who for several years has been located in Providence with a pair of training stables, has decided to shift his base of labor to this city with the plan of later opening a stable at Combination Park. He has over of the trotting gelding Hills Boy, 2:22¼, which he will campaign over the half-mile tracks the coming season along with the outside horses he may pick up from time to time.

Foshner has just returned from a two-month trip to Denver. He did not like the country out there as well as he anticipated, and concluded after investigation to settle here in business. He is a careful and skilled man with horses, there is no doubt of his filling his stable with promising race and matinee horses.

EASTERN LEAGUE MEETING.

NEW YORK, April 6.—The schedule meeting of the Eastern League Baseball will be held to-day. One hundred and fifty games will be played. Montreal will remain in the league.

NAVY FENCING CAPTAIN.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 6.—The Navy fencing team has elected Edmund H. Brandt of Montclair, N. J., second class, captain of next year's trio. He succeeds Lieut. Hendrick of Kansas, who will be graduated in June.

AMATEUR BASEBALL CLUBS.

Managers of amateur and semi "pro" baseball clubs are invited to send their challenges to the Boston Sunday American, the very best medium in arranging games. Write on one side of the paper only, state name of team, average age, teams preferred and address of manager. Send challenges to Amateur Baseball Club Editor, Boston Sunday American.

SCHOOL CREWS ARE GETTING INTO FORM

The schoolboy crews were unable to get much practice last week owing to the roughness of the weather, but expect to get more work the first part of this week. O'Leary and Graney have, however, a fair line on the material and have already picked out some of the best men.

Dorchester has thirty out for its crew, and the sifting out process will be very severe, as there are practically six crews with twenty-two candidates. Cambridge Latin has a husky looking squad which is coming along finely.

SCHOOLBOY NINES WILL GET BUSY THIS WEEK

Several schoolboy baseball games were called off last week on account of the bad weather, and the real start of prep school baseball will be this week. Brookline High received a severe setback when fifteen members of the squad were disqualified on account of studies. The team has cancelled its two vacation dates, and may have to break up altogether.

Volkmann will play the Harvard second team on Wednesday instead of the Allen school Tuesday. This will be a very interesting contest, as Volkmann has one of the strongest teams he has had in years. Nearly all the boys on the team are well advanced.

Captain Sharry of Somerville hopes to be relieving Carlin from his pitching duties to consider the matter. Noble and Green ough will handle the battery. Weaton is striking the Noble crew and it is predicted that this crew will be the best in years. English High has two crews, with twenty-two candidates. Cambridge Latin has a husky looking squad which is coming along finely.

Dorchester's champ team will start operations this week, and the game Wednesday with Medford will be a hot one. Commercial High last three star players last year, but Coach Sullivan declares they were the mainstay of the team, and their loss will be severely felt.

Although Newton Higa has comparatively a new team this year, its prospects are fine, as several of the players have a good baseball reputation. Rockliffe Latin should prove easy for them Thursday. Howe of Dover Street Methodists will catch and O'Neil be placed in the outfield.

BIG BOUT ON AT COLUMBIA

Raymond Caseaux, the French wrestler, whose work on the mat in his two previous bouts in this city stamped him as one of the best wrestlers in the world, will face Karakanoff, the new Turkish heavyweight, on the stage of the Columbia Theatre Wednesday night. This is in this country only a few weeks but his victories abroad have made him a man to be feared. He has defeated Lemieux, the Canadian champ and failing to get a match with the Russian Hackenschmidt, one of the greatest and one of the fiercest struggles of the year will result when the two clash.

Caseaux is liable to some rough usage at the hands of Karakanoff, as the latter is another Percill in his tactics and if the Frenchman loses he declares there will be lots of talking doing that are not on the programme.

Professor John J. O'Brien will act as referee and explain the different holds used by these two famous European giants.

JOE HARRIS IS HOME ILL

Joe Harris, the big pitcher of the Red Sox team, is at his home in Melrose from Indianapolis. He is down and out with malaria, trouble started at Little Rock, and although Joe complained a good deal, stuck it out with the club until Manager McGuire thought that home would be the best place for the big fellow now.

PRINCIPAL BOUTS CARDED THIS WEEK

MONDAY.

Jimmy Walsh vs. Young Pierce at Philadelphia, George Gelden vs. Jig Stone at Roanoke A. C. Young Loughrey vs. Joe Doyle at New York.

TUESDAY.

Jim Barry vs. Sam Langford at Armory A. A. Owen Moran vs. Joe Wolgast at National A. C., New York. Jimmy Briggs vs. Jimmy Hunt at Glens Falls, N. Y. Jerry Driscoll vs. Jack Connolly at Portland, Me. Jim Donovan vs. Jim Judge at New York.

WEDNESDAY.

Tommy Murphy vs. Kid Goodman at New York. Jack Bonner vs. Jim Stewart at New York.

THURSDAY

Arthur Cote vs. Young Kiley at Lawrence. Johnny Summers vs. Sailor Burns at Baltimore. Leach Cross vs. Jerry Murphy at New York. Jim Donovan vs. Frank McAvoy at New York. Martin Canole vs. Jack Goodrich at New York. Boots at Broadway A. C., Philadelphia.

SATURDAY.

Packy McFarland vs. Jimmy Britt at Colma, Cal. Jack Dunnan vs. Jack McGarry at New York. Bouts at National A. C., Philadelphia.

KAPLAN WON WALK.

The West End House walking contest for boys was won by Kaplan. The winning time was 31 minutes. The contestants finished in the following order: A. Kaplan, A. Levine, H. Monental, C. Hablow, N. Mazur, L. Levine, A. Pokrat, H. Goldberg, L. Brown, S. Wax, P. Kaimo, H. Klein, N. Levine, H. Cushner, S. Kitsen.

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BY BILL ROSS

BALTIMORE, Md., April 6.—The Boston Nationals, according to reports permitting, will play the Orioles this afternoon at Oriole Park, and the Dovey took upon the Baltimore team as the fastest team they have run up against in their exhibition tour.

There is great interest taken in the Doves by Baltimore fans because Manager Joe Kelley is their manager, and Captain Joe is a citizen of this city and has a beautiful home in North Baltimore. The Orioles are in the Eastern League and there is no rivalry between them and the Doves for pennant honors, but in the race for National honors all Baltimore wishes Dovey's team the best of luck.

Some of the Orioles are well known in Beaumont. Now is the time for Cal Ebbetts, who played in Providence and with the Boston Americans, to get the local left-fielder. Knight was also with the Boston American last season, while Deegan was with the Doves in 1907, and came from Steubenville, Ohio, which is the home of Johnny Bates.

Beaumont to Join Team.

Another game with Baltimore is scheduled for to-morrow, and on Wednesday the Doves will play the Reading team, which is in the Tri-State League. Beaumont will join the Doves in the capital city of Pennsylvania. He has been training at his home in Honey Creek, Wisconsin, and is now on his way to report. All the Doves have a glad hand ready for the great outfielder and left-handed hitter. When Beaumont reports every man will be with the team except Davy Rohn. He is still a "hold out."

The Doves passed a very quiet Sunday at the Eutaw House. Joe Kelley was on hand to greet them when they arrived there from Lynchburg, Va. Some of the boys went to church, but the most of them took a long rest in their rooms. Rain made al fresco amusements out of the question.

It was a raw, damp day, and the last day spent in Dixie they will long remember. They passed it on a sleeping car, where steam heat prevented out of the question, and on the Sunday morning a ride from Washington to Baltimore sat in the Pullman coach and shivered.

The Doves were hit by a cold wave the second day in Columbia, and there has been no solar comfort since. Coming from the midsummer heat, which was the weather feature at Augusta, Ga., the boys felt the fall in temperature keenly. There is danger that the Doves may go to the minutes made pliable by exacting training stunts down by the Savannah River.

Pitchers Careful.

The pitchers are taking sedulous care of their precious arms. But "Little Cy" Young is still in the best form of the lot. The way he got around the infield at Lynchburg when after bunt hits showed that he felt fine and fit. The fact that the team crossed on one occasion while crossing the Savannah River in a ferry-boat and had to walk the last mile and a half on all fours. But he held the ball and made the plank walk back to the boat in safe that hasn't the cause of joy.

Frank Bowerman thinks that in Jim Ball and Lou Criger Graham has two fine catchers that are destined to be as classy as Carrigan and Cronin. Baffled by sticking to field with a unison that is cheering to a friendly spectator. If the pitching corps shows up as well as the boys believe it will, the Doves will be fast enough this season to worry any rival.

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George Browne, right fielder of the Boston Nationals, is a player who can run the field and run the bases with the best of them. As a Giant he helped win the pennant, and few men have ever played for New York who ever had a larger following with the baseball public. He was born in Washington, D. C., thirty-two years ago, and began his baseball career on the lots there when a slip of a lad. He played on the Washington Light Infantry team in the City League in his younger days and when Lynchburg, Va., wanted a pitcher in 1900, George Kelley, manager for Petersburg, recommended Browne. That was the beginning of the professional baseball career. He went right up the ladder. He played with Lynchburg in 1900 as a pitcher and outfielder, and as an outfielder at Trenton, N. J., in 1901. Then Dubuque, Ia., 1898; Auburn, N. Y., in 1899; Oswego in 1900, and Toronto, 1902.

In 1902 he was signed by the Philadelphia National League team, and after two months was released to the New York Giants. He played with New York from that time on until the baseball exchanges took players sent him to Boston.

"That's the town I want to go to," said Browne, when Moriarty told him that Manager Joe Kelley was after him.

Browne is a ball player of the first rank, and a man who can stand close to him in his team is running neck and neck for the pennant or away down at the foot of the list. He is a game uphill player. He has got a good nerve system and can stand the strain of a close series. He hits the ball hard and runs bases like a deer. A ball hit to right field is a hard one to get by him.

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DEATH NOTICES.

CADIGAN—In Roxbury, April 4, Richard, beloved husband of Jeremiah Cadigan, aged 70 years. Funeral Tuesday, at 2 p.m., 2 Dix, Dudley st., Roxbury. Relatives and friends invited.

CARNEY—In Roxbury, March 31, Alice Butler, beloved daughter of Thomas A. and Bridget Carney, formerly of Cambridge.

Burial at Mount Auburn Cemetery, this day, April 6. Relatives and friends wishing to attend are invited to meet at Harvard station, Brookline, Monday, at 12.30.

COOK—In Roxbury, April 3, Joseph, beloved child of Frank A. and Louise Cook (nee Rose), aged 3 mos. 7 da.

Funeral from parents' residence, 52 Cliff st., Monday, April 6, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

CRONIN—In Dorchester, April 3, John Lewis Cronin, in his 21st year.

Funeral from his late residence, 404 Dorchester st., on Monday, April 6, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

DOYLE—In Roxbury, April 4, Nellie D., wife of Henry G. Hall.

Funeral services at her late residence, 8 Palfrey st., Watertown, Monday, April 6, at 1 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

ROLSETH—In Atlantic, April 3, Henry S. Rolseth.

Funeral from residence, 87 Walker st., Monday, April 6, at 2 o'clock. Services at the Church of the Redeemer, Tuesday, at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends please copy.

FLYNN—In Roxbury, April 4, Martha, wife of Frank D. Lowe.

Funeral services at late residence, 775 Parker st., Monday, April 6, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

RICHARDSON—In Lunenburg Centre, April 3, Mary A., widow of Joseph Richardson, aged 84 yrs. 11 mos. 3 da.

Funeral from the residence, Main st., Lunenburg Centre, Monday, April 6, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited.

WILLIAMSON—In Roxbury, April 3, George N. Williamson, 48 yrs. 9 mos. 3 da.

Funeral services at his late residence, 49 Fairburn st., on Monday, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

BEARDSLEY—In Boston, April 4, Mary, infant child of John Beardsley, aged 1 month 16 days.

Funeral notice later.

STEBBINS—In Dorchester, April 6, Herbert H., beloved husband of Kittie A. Stebbins (nee Crowley).

Funeral from the residence of his mother, Mary A. Stebbins, 179 Sydney st., Tuesday, April 7, at 8 o'clock. Services at St. Margaret's Church, Columbia road, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

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TAYLOR—In Quincy, Mass., April 3, Henry Taylor, in his 72d year.

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Why Do Women Worship Titles?

COULD They Stop It? WILL They? It Sets a Bad Example

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More than a hundred years ago American men—women helping enthusiastically—were driving Englishmen and their king and their titles out of this country.

We THOUGHT over here that we all wanted to be equal. We got up a constitution wiping out titles. We all decided to be known as Mr., Miss or Mrs. American Citizen. We even forbade by law any creation of titles or other encouragement of European flummery.

What happens now? Many of our women with money, many more without money, rush around in the wake of a title more ardently than the old patriots followed in the wake of a fleeing redcoat.

Some little, insignificant sample of foreign born humanity, a washed-out, squandered-out, morally, financially and physically bankrupt titled nobody comes to America, and our women, usually sane, go out of their minds.

Mothers pursue these worthless titled specimens, daughters dream about them. We are obliged to print their pictures and their names, and portraits of their waistcoats and pantaloons in this newspaper day by day, in order to follow up our rule and "give the people what they want."

Isn't it possible for American women to realize that the title of Count de Castellane or Prince de Sagan means absolutely nothing in France, and still less in America?

Can't our women understand that what they want to look for in a man are health, brains, the ability to look after a family, and especially the conscience that a woman can respect and upon which she can rely?

One of our young women, idiotically described in the newspapers, including our own, as "Our Duchess," married a little English fool, Marlborough—a man just four degrees above an idiot, and physically looking like the tail-end fragment of sweatshop exploitation.

Another of our young women married a worthless little, curly headed, tightly corseted French nothing named De Castellane. She very sensibly got rid of that little monkey, and now, according to the newspapers and his own report, she is preparing to wed a larger and probably worse specimen of the same class.

We all know that the worship of titles, the servile following after rank, is very deeply ingrained in the human mind. For tens of centuries, the lucky man or woman has been the one familiar with the powers that held title. To sit as near the throne as possible, and bask in the smiles of the one on the throne, have meant safety, wealth, ease.

Ever since the days of Solomon and his glory, and long before, title has meant power and importance, and title-hunting has been the work of the little human beings.

You can't take out of the human being in five minutes that which has slowly been put into him during fifty centuries. Well meaning vegetarians know how hard it is to cure themselves of the meat habit that began 30,000 years ago, when one of our ancestors captured an enemy and ate him. But—

Our great American task is to develop in the American people REAL DEMOCRACY. And women—who are really democratic at heart, since in their deepest consciousness they acknowledge only the superiority of good looks or good brains—ought to lead in the fight against snobbish reverence for titles.

Mothers should teach their sons and their daughters that the difference between one man and another, one woman and another—THE ONLY DIFFERENCE THAT COUNTS—is the difference in ability or in goodness.

If you find a hundred American women desperately struggling for "social advancement," trying to know so-called fashionable people who don't want to know them, you will find ninety-nine women discouraged, unhappy—and one more or less successful goose.

Why should any sane woman take an interest, for instance, in this Prince de Sagan, who is about to go home and spend several American millions, or the income from those millions, foolishly and aimlessly?

What is there of this Prince de Sagan, if you take away the foolish, meaningless title? He probably has a nervous system three-quarters worn out. It is certain that his liver amounts to little, his heart and lungs to less. He has very nice manners, undoubtedly, and can jump to put a footstool under a lady's feet as nimbly as a cricket hopping to the top of a shock of hay.

But He CAN'T THINK. He has nothing to offer an earnest woman when his little stock of compliments is exhausted.

And he is a fair sample of other idlers of his kind.

The money that these men take to Europe amounts to nothing. The money, after all, only represents work actually done in America. As long as the work remains here, it doesn't matter very much where the money goes that represents it.

The unfortunate thing is the BAD EXAMPLE, the bad effect on our American life, and especially on American WOMEN.

The men very often are as foolish as the women in these matters. When Prince Henry visited this country thousands of men acted like silly people. And when our big, successful men go to Europe, THEY are too apt to be found playing the toady with titled people.

The American woman, when disloyal to the American idea of democracy and equality, represents a real danger, BECAUSE SHE IMPRESSES THE CHILDREN AND FORMS THE CHARACTER OF THE NEXT GENERATION.

The man who is to be President of the United States fifty years from now, OR POSSIBLY KING OF THE UNITED STATES fifty years from now, IS SITTING ABOUT AT THIS MOMENT IN HIS LITTLE SHORT TROUSERS, LISTENING EAGERLY TO EVERY WORD THAT HIS MOTHER SAYS.

THAT is the responsibility that rests upon women. They create the next generation first, bringing it into the world with suffering. And then, having created a living creature, they educate it, direct its THOUGHT, make upon its sensitive mind impressions during the first seven years that cannot be wiped out IN SEVENTY.

Women, be sensible, sane, democratic human beings. If you want to respect any title, respect THE TITLE TO HUMAN GRATITUDE THAT MEN AND WOMEN OF REAL POWER HAVE EARNED BY REAL WORK.

When you have in America such a man as Edison, how can you possibly waste thought on a little burnt-out shell like De Sagan?

When you have about you young men and young women full of possibilities, earnest, energetic, promising, how can you waste your time on the titled idiocies from other countries?

Those that are free from this contagion should fight it. And RIDICULE is the best fighting weapon.

"THE HAPPY SNOBS"

MRS. TRUBBELL

BY T. E. POWERS

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WELL WE'LL IT'S MRS TRUBBELL
HELLO BOYS
LET ME CARRY YOUR PARCEL
JONES & CO DRY GOODS
SHE'S A PEACH
SHE'S SWELL
AIN'T FOR GET ME AIN'T
WAIT HERE BOYS ILL BE RIGHT OUT
SMITH & CO DRY GOODS
I KNOWS HOW TO CARRY PARCELS- I USED TO CARRY EM FOR MY WIFE
AND HERE IS A PARCEL FOR YOU TO CARRY
WHY, DUKE, I THOUGHT YOU WERE IN EUROPE
EUROPE WAS NEVELLIKE THIS
GLOOM
YOU BOYS TAKE THOSE PARCELS UP TO MY HOUSE WHILE I TAKE A WALK WITH THE DUKE
HE ISN'T A REAL DUKE
ISN'T HE THE LOBSTER
I DONT SEE WHAT SHE SEES IN THAT MONKEY!

Bobbie's Essays

By William F. Kirk

LAST Wensday nite wen Pa calm hoam to dinner Ma was vary sick with a headache. I felt vary sorry for her, beekaus I know Ma was vary sick & she nevver says she is sick unless she is sick.

What is the matter with you, wifey sed Pa. I have a vary bad head, sed Ma. I always knew that, sed Pa, the only sine you avver showed of a good head was wen you picked me out for a husband, Ha, Ha, let us assembel around the jolly old dinner tabel & spear a few knifefuls of food, sed Pa.

I am sorry you dosnt believe my head aches, sed Ma, beekaus it reely & truly does ache like it was going to split.

Pechaps it will split sune, sed Pa. It has been cracked for a long time, Ha, Ha, that wasent half (½) a bad joke. Let us feed.

So Ma dident say any moar & we all set down to the tabel & ate our dinner, it was a vary good dinner, beekaus Ma will cook a good dinner even if her head is vary bad with headache.

Pa kep talking all the time & seemed vary happy, Forget it, that headache, he sed, & throw me a slab of that veel, rite side up. Look to your cuire control, sed Pa, & doant miss the plate.

It isent any laffing matter, Ma sed, I feel moar like crying. I have had this aching for three Y3) days.

What is three days, sed Pa. What if you had it three weeks, like I did once wen I was down in Patagonia. I will nevver forget that awful trip, sed Pa, I was walking in the shadow of deth, sed Pa, but I calm back with bells on, you bet. Slip me a slice of salad, sed Pa, & six on the whining.

I wish you had this headache, sed Ma. I wish I did, sed Pa, I like the hevvy going. I am the master of my fate, sed Pa, and it matters not how hard the head may ache I am the game kid. I wish I had your headache, but not your head, Pa sed.

Then Ma dident say any moar, but she dident like it vary well, but Pa kep rite on talking sum moar.

The next nite after this Pa calm hoam with his face all swelled up. I have but a littel wife to live, he told Ma. I have my hed all stuffed up with a awful cold wich is stealing into my vitals & talking away from this erth one of the bruivest & noablest men wich has ever lived, sed Pa.

But I will nevver complisin about it, darling wife, sed Pa. Be good to littel Bobbie, and sum day, wen you & him goes out to the semetery to strew flours & blinding tears on my grave, tell him what a grate-harted father he had, & urge him to so live, sed Pa, that he will be a credit to the father wich always cared for him.

You will find my life insurance policy in the third drawer of the shifforeer, sed Pa, & I hoap thay will cum across with the coin befoar you suffer from lack of sumthing to eet.

Farewell, deer wife, & littel Bobbie, if I shud nevver rise from my bed of pain. After all, I have had much sweetness out of life, & now it will be good to rest, sed Pa.

Ma was vary good to Pa & put a hot water bag on his hed & gave him quinine & wiskey, & next day Pa was all better. I think Ma is gamer than Pa, but I hoap he doant see this essay.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Self-Pity Is Weakness, and a Woman's Threat of Suicide Is Only a Cheap Bid for Sympathy

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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A WOMAN who undertook a work with a charitable aim, but a work requiring capital, has failed in her enterprise. She writes me as follows:

I have lost my hold, and, do you know, I am bound on ending my life. This is a pity, for I am a good woman, and well liked, but I have not money to carry on my work. Not one in a world as full as a world can hold to care for me.

A little further on in the letter, which is full of self-pity and admiration and criticisms of the world at large and humanity in general, the writer continues:

I need $500. I want to come to New York. If I could have my board and room paid for six weeks, I could repay every cent. I feel that you can help me. I feel that I must have aid, or I will go down, down. You, as a close observer, a careful student of the power of the thought forces, can read in this the mental state. Help me. You will never regret it. In what way I leave with you.

In addition the lady sends me her portrait, and asks me what I see in it, and why I think she must fail.

Face Shows Weakness

THE face is delicate, spiritual and somewhat lacking in force. Of course, one could not look for much force in the writer of the extracts given above.

I have a great deal of sympathy for unhappy people, but I must confess I never feel moved deeply when any one threatens suicide. It is such a cheap and common method of trying to scare attention from the world.

In moments of terrible anguish and despair, I can understand how a crazed brain nerves the hand to self-destruction. But the person who deliberately talks it, and constantly threatens it, rarely commits the act, and when it is committed it is out of spite, rather than out of despair.

Suicides of this type die with a sort of "Now-are-not-you-sorry-you-did-not-do-more-for-me" parting message to the world.

The writer of the letter above is a sensitive and self-centred woman (the two words are almost synonymous), and she feels neglected, misused and unappreciated. Deep in her heart she is more angry and resentful than sad.

Is Impractical

IT speaks ill for her mental state that she has no one in the world who cares for her. If she had been thinking lovingly and unselfishly about her friends and associates for years, she would not find herself absolutely friendless. That which we send forth returns to us eventually.

I fear she has thought about her work and her ambitions, and has not sent out the friendship vibrations. Yet even if she possessed many dear friends, it would be a miracle if she found one ready to lend her $500. These experiences occur to one person in ten thousand, not to more of us.

I would sooner expect communication with the man in Mars than to encounter anybody who would lend me that sum to-day.

How impractical the lady is can be read in her desire to come to New York on borrowed money, and with no definite plans for making a livelihood in view.

When I look at the sweet faces of the Sisters of Charity—of the Salvation Army women, and of many of the nurses in public and private institutions—the idea strikes me always with renewed force that it is only the utterly selfish and self-bound women who commit suicide when they are out of work and homeless. There is so much to be done in this world for people less fortunate than ourselves, no matter how unfortunate we are.

Only the lunatic or the abject coward or the self-centred pessimist tries to escape these avenues of helpfulness by self-destruction.

Life a Battleground

OF course the world is a hard battleground to-day for all who are not members or promoters of trusts and syndicates. Monopoly is making it harder every day for worth and industry. But that is all the more reason why work and industry should keep alive and optimistic and determined to succeed.

Nothing can overcome the soul that declares its divine right to success and happiness and usefulness. The way may be long in the opening, but *it will open.*

Let my correspondent abandon her cheap, silly and blasphemous threats of an attempt to end what is endless—to destroy what is indestructible—life.

Let her think of her failure as only one of life's experiences and expect success in the future, and let her turn her hand to any honorable occupation while she formulates new plans, or go into practical charity work, as the Master did, if she does not find the calling for which she is fitted at once.

Death is an experience she can afford to wait for, as it is sure to come in time.